WEATHER SYNOPSIS

The barometer is low over the Interior, and mild weather extends from the Coast to Manitoba.

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MUSICAL FESTIVAL OFFICIALLY OPENED BY MAYOR

FESTIVAL IS OPENED BY MAYOR

Music Big Factor in Promoting Brotherhood and Co-operation, Says Mr. Anscomb

CORDIAL WELCOME FOR COMPETITORS

Victoria Association Praised and Held Deserving of Warm Support of Community

"THERE is no greater factor in life for the making of sympathy, human brotherhood and genuine co-operation, and no greater means of inspiration and encouragement than music, which speaks in a universal tongue and knows no creed or color," said Mayor Herbert Anscomb when opening the third annual festival of the Victoria Musical Festival Association at the Metropolitan United Church last night. Long before the organ recital given by Professor Warren D. Allen, prior to the finals of twin being judged had begun, the auditorium was packed to overflowing. There were 1,200 people present for the opening programme.

On behalf of the city, the Mayor extended a cordial welcome to the competitors and visitors from outside points. "I can only wish the competitors the best of luck, because in this as in all other lines of competition, 'may the best man win'."

Touching upon the objects of the festival, the Mayor said "Musical people are undoubtedly among the most interesting people to meet, because in addition to the education expected of every citizen, they have the advantage of their training in the art of music."

Even municipalities had begun to realize that people need music and the provision of band concerts in public parks is now very general and may be but the first step towards giving free of charge the finest musical entertainment possible."

Continuing, the Mayor said that "what is needed in this city and age is a world different from the one in which we have to work and toil for the necessities of life, and music creates such a world for us. We are guided as much by our feelings and instincts as by our in-

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Nova Scotia Says Ministry Callous And Indifferent

HALIFAX, April 16.—The Nova Scotia House of Assembly, by a straight party vote, 19-15, last night adopted a resolution resolving "That the Dominion Government has shown callous indifference and delay in implementing the report of the Royal Commission on Maritime Plans, in so far as it recommends specific beneficial measures designated to assist the basic industries of this province."

From the Colonist Tower

Wednesday, April 17

16th Day, 107th

THE WEATHER

Victoria and Vicinity: Moderate to fresh westerly winds, partly cloudy and mild, with showers.

Sun Rises: 5:16 a'clock.
Sun Sets: 7:06 o'clock.

High Tide: 12:56 a.m., 5.4 feet.
Low Tide: 3:46 p.m., 1.8 feet.

Sports

Saanich Schools soccer team wins final of Pragnenis Cup soccer from Oak Bay eleven.

Discord breaks out among Canadian girls' relay team.

Rain mars opening of major league baseball, only one game scheduled game played, Pittsburgh Pirates defeat Cubs, 7-2.

American Ryder Cup team their great reception on arrival in England. Hagen tells of plans of squad in special article to The Colonist.

In Brief

Local and Provincial—

Federal Radio Commission opens its hearing in Victoria.

Victoria Musical Festival in full swing.

Frederick King triumphs in choir contest.

Coast smelter justified if present output is assured.

Domestic, Imperial and Foreign—

President Hoover sends message to Congress dealing with tariff and farm relief.

HOUSE REVIEWS ELECTIONS ACT

Same Polling Divisions for Federal, Provincial and Municipal Elections, Is Plan Advocated

MR. NEILL PRESENTS SEVERAL PROPOSALS

OTTAWA, April 16—By establishing a uniformity in municipal, provincial and federal polling divisions of a permanent nature, with a revision of polls once in fifteen years, the costs of elections could be reduced by at least one-third, thus saving many millions to the nation, declared John S. Hunt, clerk of the Executive Council of Alberta and chief electoral officer of that province, when addressing the special committee of the House of Commons reviewing the Dominion Elections Act.

This was one of the suggestions which Mr. Hunt brought before the committee. A Mr. Neill, Liberal member, brought forward several suggestions which would allow loggers and fishermen of British Columbia better opportunities to cast their ballots. He advocated a half holiday on election day.

Roller Coaster Falls Off Track; Seven Injured

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., April 16—Seven persons were injured, two seriously, here tonight, when a roller coaster at the beach left the track and fell thirty-five feet, plunging through two sections of breaks.

GERMANY WILL BARGAIN FOR BETTER TERMS

Regarded as Only Natural That They Should Say Allied Bill Too High and Attempt to Get Reduction

ALTERNATIVE OFFER WILL BE SUBMITTED

PARIS, April 16—Dr Hjalmar Schacht, chief of the German delegation to the second Dawes committee, today told his colleagues on the committee that the schedule of reparations annual demands by the Allied nations exceeded Germany's capacity to pay. He presented to present figures of his own tomorrow which will be discussed in connection with the memorandum presented by the creditor nations on Saturday.

Dr Schacht's stand was reported in some quarters as merely representing the viewpoint of the German Government, which was to be considered by the experts in reports together with the viewpoint of the Allies, and in other quarters as a rejection of the Allied figures.

The attitude of the German delegation was understood by some of the experts as indicating that the Allied memorandum should be considered as only one step in the negotiations. By this view, the figures that the German delegation will present tomorrow are intended to enable the committee to compare the two sets of figures before taking another step forward.

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OPENING OF RADIO QUIZ IS INFORMAL

Commission Will Make a Specific Statement Here as to Objectives of President's Investigation

PUBLIC SITTING FIXED FOR TODAY

Commission Commends Radio Discussions at Conference of National Council of Education

THE Federal Radio Commission, which has toured Europe, and gathered information relating to this rapidly developing means of communication and entertainment, held its first sitting in the Government Room in the Parliament Buildings yesterday morning. This meeting was of an informal character. The discussion, which was held with the members of the Provincial Government and others in attendance at this private sitting, served the purpose of providing the avenue for an explanation of just what was the purpose of the commission.

The commission is composed of Sir John Aird, chairman; Mr. Charles A. Bowman, editor of The Ottawa Citizen, and Mr. Augustine Frigon, director of the Ecole Polytechnique Montreal. The secretary of the body is Mr. Donald Nanson.

This morning the public sittings were resumed with the opening of the morning sitting, Sir John Aird will make a statement as to the position of the commission, setting out the character of the work in hand, and outlining the character of the evidence or representations that it is sought to obtain.

The commission was met on arrival here by Mr. E. J. Haughton, superintendent of the Canadian radio-telegraph service on the Pacific Coast, and by Mr. J. R. Peverly, M.P.P., who has manifested a deep interest in the subject of radio for many years.

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C.P.R. OFFERS NEW ISSUE OF CAPITAL STOCK

Shares With Par Value of $30,000,000 Are Offered at Price of $51,000,000 to Shareholders

FURTHER SHARES FOR EMPLOYEES

MONTREAL, April 16.—The Canadian Pacific Railway is offering to the shareholders of its ordinary stock of record on Friday, April 19, 1929, the right to subscribe to 600,000 additional ordinary capital stock, comprising 300,000 shares of the par value of $100 each, in the proportion of one share for every ten each ten shares held at the time of record, at the price of $170, payable in four instalments, it was announced today. The right to subscribe will expire June 17.

The company will also offer to its officers and employees the right to subscribe to an additional 51,000,000 ordinary capital stock at $170 per share on a monthly instalment plan. This offer is in pursuance of a policy inaugurated in 1927.

REV. W. J. BURNETT DIES

SASKATOON, April 16—Rev W. J. Burnett, pastor of Park view Presbyterian Church, died in the Paul's Hospital at 4 o'clock this morning. Wife of Dr. Jerusmia Mr. Burnett and his family came to this city eighteen months ago from St. Mary's, Ont. There are three young children.

Egg Pool Will Open in City Next Monday

NEW WESTMINSTER, April 16—The Egg Pool headquarters have received 6,340 dozen eggs practically all from Cloverdale and district, on Monday, the first day for receiving eggs. It is announced that branches of the pool will be opened next Monday at Victoria, Duncan, Courtenay and Abbotsford. About 80 per cent of the poultrymen of the Lower Mainland and Vancouver Island are members of the pool.

Royalty on Honeymoon

A Picture of the Newly-Married Prince Olaf of Norway and Princess Martha of Sweden, Taken on the Ferry Crossing From Sweden to Germany on Their Honeymoon Tour.

Coast Smelter Justified If Present Production Is Assured Proposed Plant

IN the opinion of Mr. J. D. Galloway, provincial mineralogist, there is sufficient copper ore being produced in the British Columbia coast properties, which is now being shipped out as concentrates and as blister copper, to warrant the erection of a Coast smelter and refinery if this output could all be assured to the works so created. Sixty-five per cent of the concentrates are going out of the province.

He pointed out in an address given before the Vancouver Island Prospectors' Association held in the Unity Hall last evening that of the above tonnage, producers of copper ore in the province, the Granby Company at Hidden Creek, Anyox, the Britannia, and the Copper Mountain, near Greenwood, owned by the Granby Company. The Granby at Anyox operated its own smelter and treated the ores produced there. From Copper Mountain the Granby found it more profitable to ship its concentrates to Tacoma, rather than to Trail, or to Anyox, while the Britannia also exported its ores.

MORE TONNAGE

With the amount of development work done by the Granby, the consolidated Company at the Coast Copper mines, and at Hidden, there was some considerable tonnage

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Postal Rate to France Is to Be 3 Cents an Ounce

OTTAWA, April 16—Hon P. J Veniot, Postmaster General, and the deputy minister, L. J Gabourry, will leave for Paris at the close or the present Parliamentary session to sign a new postal convention between Canada and France. It was announced today. By the terms of the convention the letter rate between the two countries will be reduced from 6 to 3 cents an ounce.

The new postal rate, it was explained, will facilitate communication between the countries and is the outcome of negotiations which have been carried on for some time between representatives of the two Governments

HOUSE UPHOLDS SPEAKER'S RULE

OTTAWA MEMBERS ALMOST UNANIMOUS IN APPROVAL OF ACTION TAKEN

Newsvendors Prohibited From Carrying Liquor—Floors of Building Polled

OTTAWA, April 16—Orders received today by Mr Speaker Lemieux, for the policing of the upper floors of the House of Commons and prohibiting Government messengers carrying liquor for members from liquor stores were, it is understood, approved at a session of the House held in camera this afternoon. For nearly one hour and a half three orders were discussed behind closed doors and it was only at 4:25 this afternoon that the public was admitted.

No complaints, it was stated, against the orders of Mr Speaker were received from the Conservative benches. Five or six members on the Liberal side, it is understood, spoke on the matter. When the "ayes" and "nays" were called, it is said that only two or three "nays" were heard.

NOTABLE BRITISH LABOR LEADER DIES

LONDON, April 16—Joseph Havelock Wilson, prominent Labor leader and former member of Parliament, died today aged seventy. He came into sharp conflict with the particular elements in trade union movement during the war.

BUDGET NOT PLEASING TO OPPOSITION

Mr. Phillip Snowden and Mr. Lloyd George Assail Financial Proposals of Mr. Winston Churchill

LABORITE MAKES SWEEPING ATTACK

LONDON, April 16.—Opposition leaders in the House of Commons lost no time in making preliminary assaults on the budget brought down yesterday by Mr Winston Churchill, Chancellor of the Exchequer. It received sharp criticism both from Mr. Phillip Snowden, former Chancellor of the Exchequer in the former Labor Government, and from Mr. Lloyd George, Liberal leader.

Mr Snowden said he had given various descriptions to previous budgets brought down by Mr Churchill, but there was one description with which all on his side of the House would agree. "It had not been a budget statement but an election manifesto and a bribery budget."

Few, if any, of the concessions which Mr Churchill proposed, would have been made if the budgets were not being presented with a view to the general election, he declared. The Tory party, he added, was trying to win the election by using the public funds for party purposes.

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Wheat Again Moving Down Great Lakes

PORT WILLIAM, Ont., April 16.—With the hooting of sirens and steam whistles, the harbor breaks into activity last night when marine insurance took effect at 12 o'clock. Tugs turned the huge grain boats and moved them into the channels leading to open waters.

Fifteen steamers left between midnight and 4 o'clock this morning, carrying four and one-half million bushels of wheat and barley. Other vessels followed this afternoon and tonight.

MR. HOOVER'S TARIFF PLAN IS OUTLINED

Message to Congress Advocates Aid to Farmer, Including High Protective Tariff on His Products

CHANGE IN OTHER DUTIES NOT SOUGHT

President Would Restrict to Minimum, Revision of Tariff on Manufacturing and General Schedules

WASHINGTON, April 16.—President Hoover today sent to the extra session of the seventy-first Congress, which was read to both Houses today, was poundered over with particular care by those interested in tariff revision as well as farm relief.

The President's language on the tariff was viewed as meaning that he will back up the movement in both Houses to put agricultural rates up to a high level. Predictions are that in a number of instances farm tariff rates will be increased prohibitive.

While the President's language seems to favor a more or less restricted revision of schedules other than agricultural, it was viewed by high tariff advocates as sufficiently elastic not to interfere with their plans for a revision which will be comprehensive and in many respects a general revision. In other words higher tariff advocates do not think the President will veto a bill which is practically a general revision measure.

The farm relief recommendations of the President were generally in accord with what he had previously set in the recent campaign and in conference with the leaders in Congress.

CO-OPERATIVE EFFORTS

They are looked upon as meaning that he wants the farmers, through organization and Government loans, to handle their own problems as far as possible, and not to receive subsidies out of the treasury.

The House farm relief bill, already introduced, calling for a strong farm board and stabilization corporation, built on the co-operative basis, is accepted as meeting the Hoover programme. On the other hand, the export debenture plan and equalization fee are outside the President's favor.

India's Poet in Seattle on Way To Return Home

SEATTLE, April 16.—Weary and anxious to return to India, Sir Rabindranath Tagore stopped here today for a few hours while enroute to San Francisco and home.

Mention of a recent book about India, which had created much speculation from the poet. Pulling his flowing robes closely about him to through feeling a chill wind, he declared: "We have contracted the regrettable reports that such literature spreads about India ... but those who fling mud in our faces know that we do not have the same medium of publicity as they have. The cries of our feeble voices cannot be heard around the world."

Chicago-Alaska Plane Takes Off From Edmonton

EDMONTON, April 16—Roaring up from Blatchford Field at 2:30 p.m. Tuesday, Captain Parker D. Cramer and W. S. Gamble, American Legion flyers, began their flight from Chicago to Alaska. Robert Hitchcock, missing flier of the Mountains, following the Canadian National Railway line from lack of landing facilities at Jasper, the two aviators planned to reach Prince George, 480 miles by rail to the south, by flying over the overtaken them. They refused to discuss the purpose of their trip.

MR. E. W. BEATTY TO SERVE ON INQUIRY

OTTAWA, April 16.—The three men selected to investigate the alleged sectional and professional bias of the Canadian Pacific Railway Board, president and chairman of the Canadian Pacific Railway; Sir George Garneau, of Quebec City, and Dr. Murray, of the University of Saskatchewan, Saskatoon. This was announced by Hon. J. A. Robb, Finance Minister in the House of Commons this afternoon.

MR. J. A. McDONALD DIES

MONTREAL, April 16.—John A McDonald, thirty-nine, well-known newspaperman in Winnipeg and Montreal, died here today. He succumbed to spinal meningitis.

Mr. Frederic King and His Choir Triumphant In Close Competition

Newly-Formed Victoria Philharmonic Society Adds More Laurels to Many Already Won by Noted Conductor—Fairfield Festival Chorus Gives Keen Contest—Loses by Two Points

Mrs. Arthur Dowell Receives Glowing Tribute From Judge

MR. Frederic King, well-known conductor, who has met with outstanding success with his Schubert Club ladies' choir, the Columbia Paper Company's Challenge Shield for large choral society choirs at the Victoria Festival Association's third annual festival in the Metropolitan United Church last night.

His choir, which is a new one, is known as the Victoria Philharmonic Society, and is the first mixed choir that he has entered in a festival. Competing against him was the Fairfield Festival Chorus, conducted by Mr. W. Harry Waite. This choir gave keen competition. The adjudicators had a difficult task in deciding the winner. Only two points separated the two choirs when the results were made known.

Dr. Daniel Prothero, Mus.Bac., who adjudicated, said in his general remarks that the contest was a close one. He congratulated both choirs on the able manner in which they had rendered two very difficult test pieces. He pointed out, however, that where parts were divided, both divided parts should be heard. Thus the first and second bass and first and second tenors might have defined their parts more clearly than they did.

The test pieces were "The Surrender of the Soul to Everlasting Love" by Peter Tschaikowsky, and "Song of Proserpine" by S. Coleridge Taylor.

GIVES HIS CRITICISM

In giving his criticisms of the Victoria Philharmonic Society choir, Dr Prothero said they had splendid body. He first gave but that their tempo was a little fast. If they had been just a little slower there would have been more dignity to the rendition. The parts moved together well and there was fine tonal unity. At least, however, there was a certain lack of security.

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TIDAL FLOOD THREATENED AT NEW YORK

Gale and Tide Bank Water to Within Foot of Top of Sea Wall — Continuance Will Be Serious

BUILDINGS TOPPLED AND WASHED TO SEA

NEW YORK, April 16—The North Atlantic states were raked today by the heaviest rainstorm that soon did small ships in harbor, swept shore buildings out to sea, and held coastal liners from completing their voyages.

Up through Delaware the gale raged along the New Jersey coast, through New York, and up the New York-Pennsylvania line, where several inches of rain fell last night, and where today's rain was interspersed with snow.

Rivers were swollen close to flood stage; the tide in New York harbor was four feet higher than normal and within a foot of the top of the Battery sea wall. It was one of the highest tides ever recorded by the weather bureau, which said continuance of the storm tomorrow might have serious results.

CARGO SUNK

A tug and two barges, one with a $250,000 cargo of whale oil, just brought from the Antarctic by Sir James Clark Ross, was sunk here, eighteen men being rescued from the tug just before its disaster.

On the New Jersey coast, bulkheads were torn away and buildings undermined, some of them toppling into the waves to float away to sea.

In Philadelphia trees were felled and windows blown in, and in Trenton a nine-foot cross was hurled into the street from a cathedral spire.

In Jersey, all dogs were held outside this port by the weather.

TWO RESCUERS STILL MISSING

SOUTHERN CROSS AVIATORS TO JOIN SEARCH FOR TWO LOST FLYERS

Nothing Heard of Anderson and Hitchcock Since Sighted Nine Days Ago

SYDNEY, April 16 — Captain Charles Kingsford-Smith and C. T. Ulm, his pilot aboard the Southern Cross, will aid in the search for Lieutenant Keith Anderson and Robert Hitchcock, missing nine days.

Anderson and Hitchcock were last sighted at Newcastle Waters in Northern Australia where they had alighted for fuelling before proceeding in hunt for the missing Southern Cross. They seemed today as definitely lost as the Southern Cross ever was. Kingsford-Smith and Ulm hinted at the weakness which bound them to the shoal of the mouth of the Glenelg River, despite their emergence in safety. Their twelve-day diet of seeds, wild beans and insects, however, so wasted them it was believed somewhere four or five days would have to elapse

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Engagement Announced Of Lady Victoria Haig

LONDON, April 16—Announcement was made today of the engagement of the late Earl Haig's second daughter, Lady Victoria Haig, to Claude Andrew Scott, son of Lord Robert Scott, president of the London Chamber of Commerce and holder of a distinguished record in the British military service.

AIR MAIL PLAN FOR DOMINION IS SET FORTH

Postmaster-General Veniot Tells House of Commons of Policy for Extension of Air Routes

SERVICE TO COAST NOT FOR THIS YEAR

OTTAWA, April 16—Hon. P. J. Veniot, Postmaster-General, outlined an ambitious programme for a transcontinental air mail route when the House of Commons went into committee of supply tonight and considered the outside service vote of the Postoffice department. This service includes all air mail routes in the Dominion, he declared.

Under the direction of mail services, which includes all air routes, the amount of the vote was given at $18,205,000. Mr. Veniot explained that during the past five months the Postoffice service had extended its mail routes to almost every corner of the Dominion. During the coming Summer it was hoped to connect Toronto with Buffalo and Windsor.

MUST CO-OPERATE

Any towns or cities along the route which has provided landing fields for mail planes could benefit from civil service. The department did not intend to construct landing fields itself.

As mail service to the Pacific Coast ports was not contemplated for the present year, the Burrays of mail routes had not yet been completed by the experts of the Department of National Defence. As soon as the surveys were finished, and the feasibility of the far Western link in the transcanada service reported upon, it could be determined when and how the complete service could be given.

Trapped Miners Are Rescued at Wallace, Idaho

WALLACE, Idaho, April 16.—Oscar Johnson and John Amason, engineers of the lead and zinc mines, who had been trapped in the workings of the old Prince Mine nearby for forty-four hours, were rescued today unhurt, though exhausted by their fruitless ordeal in the bowels of the earth and until efforts to aid the crew which had been out-

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ROYAL BANK DIRECTOR

MONTREAL, April 16.—The Royal Bank of Canada today announced the appointment of Mr. J. Blake Wilson, of Vancouver, as a director of the bank.

ANCIENT SHIP MODELS SHOWN

Models of ships since the days of the Vikings and the skill of moderns of different lands and times were recently displayed on board the Friend Ship, a three-masted clipper moored off Charing Cross Pier in London. A striking specimen of a two-decker warship was made by French prisoners of war, interned in England during the Napoleonic wars. It was of bone and valued at $2,500. A more recent model was that of a full-rigged windjammer, made by German prisoners of war. Another interesting exhibit was that of an Elizabethan man-o'-war, armed with sixteen guns.

WOMAN INVADES DESERT

There is no such thing as desert terrors for Miss Ada Boyland, of London, who is spending several months alone among the wild tribesmen of Transjordania. When she started on her trip she planned to call on the Emir Abdullah, ruler of the country, and then strike with her camels and Arab servants into the Hauran Mountains in search of the Beni-Sakr, the Druses and the Bedouins. "If you trust the natives," she said, "they will do anything for you. I never wear jewelry or carry much money, so they are not tempted to robbery and I never go armed."

Mr. Frederic King and His Choir Triumphant In Close Competition

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The opening of the second number was splendidly done, while the third work was sonorous and organ-like. The dramatic effect was good but the chromatic changes were not so good. The choir fell off pitch a little. It was a good performance but not an outstanding one. That was true of Class 3.

Of the Fairfield Festival Chorus I said they made a fair start on the first piece, but there was a noticeable total inacuracy. The chording was firmer among the ladies than the men. The change in modulation was secure but the first tenors made the ending of the piece rather ragged.

The start of the second piece was not so good, he said. The attacks were clear, however, and the cadence very well sung. The choir produced some lovely effects at the end of each verse.

The marks awarded each choir were as follows:

Victoria Philharmonic Society, first piece, 81 marks; second piece, 79 marks; total, 160 marks.

Fairfield Festival Chorus, first piece, 75 marks; second piece, 81 marks; total, 156 marks.

The other outstanding features of the programme were the final test of soloists playing their own accompaniments, in which Mrs. Arthur Dowell was paid a signal tribute by the adjudicator; and the other feature was the singing by the boys' choir of the St. Louis College. This choir had won the shield for the junior contest earlier in the day. Their singing won prolonged applause from the audience.

RESULT OF JUDGING

Adjudicating on the test in Class 20 for Anglican choirs not exceeding 40 singing voices, Dr. Prodhomme said that this test was not what he anticipated a month ago. Some quality was missing. Quality had been forfeited for quantity. The chording was not as good as it might have been. He reminded the competitors that there were four parts to be sung.

For this contest Dean Quainton had donated a shield which was won by St. Mark's choir, which obtained a two-point margin over St. Barnabas' Church choir.

The choirs sang as their (a) number, "The 23th Evening Psalm, 136," seven verses and the Gloria, and as their (b) number "Hide Me Under the Shadow," by J. R. West. The result of the test is as follows: 1st., St. Mark's Anglican Church choir, Mr. Fisher, conductor, 132 marks; 2nd, St. Barnabas' Church choir, C. H. Simpson, conductor, 130 marks.

The St. Louis College choir of boys under sixteen years, who won the W. H. Wilkerson Challenge Shield in Class 4 competition at the afternoon session, sang their syllabus numbers remarkably well. Their clear, flutelike voices won for them the approbation of those who listened to them.

In the pianoforte finals of Class 43, for girls under sixteen, competing for the silver medal donated by Mrs. J. Nixon, the selection played was "Waltz in A Major, Op. No. 2," by Rachmaninoff. Professor Warren Allen said that it was a difficult piece to judge. The test would have been better if compared with a song. The piece was almost an etude ballet—it was whimsical and dainty. It demanded rhythm, imagination, color and a fine interpretation, and bringing out of the inner voice. The three finalists had set a difficult task for him. Art could not be judged entirely by figures.

The result of the finals was as follows: 1st, Helen Hall, with 84 marks; 2nd., Helen M. Riley, 87 marks; 3rd., Evelyn Harper, 78 marks.

Professor Allen spoke of the tie in the pianoforte tests in the afternoon. Their playing had been so good that he had to declare both Miss Horne and Miss Eleanor C. Sheeley, of Portland, as first in the Class of tests. He was able to announce that the Festival committee had decided to donate another medal for this class, so that both girls would have the silver medal showing that they shared the championship.

Intensity competition was provided in the finals of Class 34, vocal solo, baritone voice, for the gold medal donated by Mr. Gordon Rodwell. Mr. James A. Thom represented Vancouver, and Mr. P. C. Rowley, Victoria.

Dr. Prodhomme awarded the medal to Mr. Thom, saying he had a splendid voice which should have been more effective on the first few notes of the first piece. However, he did a great deal of effective coaching later in the piece and proved most interesting. In his second piece he showed lots of charm and the melodic figure was given without a break.

The result of the judging was as follows: First, Mr. James A. Thom, Vancouver, with 171 marks; second, Mr. F. E. Rowley, Victoria, with 167 marks.

"This has been a very interesting contest. It is the first time that it has ever been held," Dr. Prodhomme stated when adjudicating Class 36, vocal solo, playing own accompaniment. Mrs. Arthur Dowell, of Victoria, and Mr. D. Gray Campbell, of Vancouver, were the finalists.

In awarding the gold medal donated by J. A. Griffiths to Mrs. Dowell, the adjudicator said that there was no doubt in any of the adjudicators' minds as to who had won the medal. "One is far better than the other" in choice of music and manner of presentation. Mrs. Dowell, he said, had a good voice and clear tone. Her tempo was correct and her rendition of the last page of "O Sleep, Why Dost Thou Leave Me" was full of artistry.

The award was made as follows: First, Mrs. Dowell, 88 marks, and second, Mr. Campbell, 77 marks.

OPENING OF RADIO QUIZ IS INFORMAL

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The Canadian commission is to meet the members of the provincial governments in each of the provinces, and hold an informal discussion of the situation so that there may be a clear understanding with regard to the matters which will be dealt with during the provincial sittings.

OFFICIAL STATEMENT

This Commission on Radio Broadcasting has been appointed by the Dominion Government to inquire into the existing situation in Canada, and to examine the different systems established in other countries, an official statement issued last evening says.

The purpose of the inquiry is to determine how radio broadcasting in Canada can be most effectively carried on in the interests of Canadian listeners, and in the general interests of Canada.

According to the terms of reference of the order-in-council appointing the commission, it is considered that the desired end might be achieved in several ways, provided funds are available, viz:

(a) the establishment of one or more groups of stations operated by private enterprise in receipt of a subsidy from the Government;

(b) the establishment and operation of stations by a Government-owned and financed company;

(c) the establishment and operation of stations by provincial governments.

The commission will be glad to receive such considerations as to any views on the subject of this inquiry. It should be noted, however, that the question of the division of wave lengths between Canada and the United States is not within the scope of this inquiry.

NATIONAL SYSTEMS

The commission has visited Great Britain, France, Germany, Holland, Belgium, Switzerland, Ireland and the United States. It has gathered the necessary information about the methods in force in these countries and elsewhere. It has found broadcasting exceptionally well organized in Great Britain and Germany. In France, the situation is now being studied by a commission. Everywhere, indeed, the commission found inquiries being conducted under governmental auspices for the purpose of organizing a nation-wide basis in the public interest.

The commission went abroad for the purpose of learning similarly if the commission is here to confer with the provincial authorities and to hear the views of the general public.

It has been very helpful to the members of the commission to hear the discussions in Vancouver of the National Council of Education, particularly on radio. A resolution was passed at one of the closing sessions of the conference, which reads as follows:

"That in the interests of Canadian national life and culture, it is imperative to proceed at once with the organization of radio broadcasting on a basis of public service with Dominion and provincial co-operation."

In the opinion of the commission this resolution is worthy of very careful consideration.

MR. LLOYD GEORGE WELL

LONDON, April 16.—Widespread rumors today that Lloyd George, British Liberal leader, had suffered a sudden serious illness, were denied. At his Kensington house it was said "Mr. Lloyd George is quite well, thank you."

Second Organ Recital to Be Held Tonight

AT 7:30 o'clock tonight Professor Warren Allen, adjudicator of pianofortes and organ for the Victoria Musical Festival, will give an organ recital preceding the test programme. For his recital, to be played on the Metropolitan Church organ, Professor Allen has chosen "Bourree in D Major," by Wallace Sabin, a prominent San Francisco organist; "Legende," by Ernest Douglas, Los Angeles organist, "Grandfather's Wooden Leg" by J. W. Clokey, organist at Pomona College, California, and "Fantasia in D Flat," by Saint-Saens.

Big Airship Will Not Make Voyage Before Autumn

LONDON, April 16.—Hope that the huge Dirigible R-100 will be able to fly to Canada and the R-101 to Egypt and India at some time in the Autumn, was expressed by Sir Samuel Hoare, Secretary for Aviation, in the House today in answer to a question. He said that it was difficult to forecast the precise date of their first long flights, as so much depended on the time required for the necessary trials.

British Budget Makes Change in Election Bets

LONDON, April 16.—Influenced by the budget speech of Right Hon. Winston Churchill there was a sharp rise in the unofficial Stock Exchange securities quotations for the Conservatives. The Government odds, these jumped 2 points to 27b-28b; Labor remained at 20b-25k, and the Liberals at 37-38.

FESTIVAL IS OPENED BY MAYOR

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tellects, and music stimulates our imagination and lifts us above the humdrum affairs of our week-a-day world and gives us new ideas and aspirations. The good music and good songs of a people live through the ages when other works of more material character are forgotten."

The Mayor referred to the recent educational meeting of delegates to the National Council of Education Conference. "I am sure the wonderful addresses of the different speakers must have given us all a finer and broader outlook on life. I think it can be fairly said that the Victoria Musical Festival Association is a real educational organization, inasmuch as it is endeavoring to inspire others to bigger and better things, and create interest and enthusiasm for matters musical and to teach both young and old the value of good music."

Mr. Ancomb said that the organization was doing a splendid work and deserved the wholehearted support of the community.

Nearly Half of 1928 Wheat Crop Still in Canada

OTTAWA, April 16.—The quantity of wheat in Canada on March 31 last amounted to 344,423,000 bushels, an increase of 14,151,158 bushels over the corresponding date last year. The figures which were issued today by the Department of Trade and Commerce are based on returns from elevators, four mills, railway companies and crop correspondents.

Coast Smelter Justified If Present Production Is Assured Proposed Plant

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nage in sight for a Coast smelter, but it looked now as if there would have to be a period of waiting until further development took place, or further contracts were secured from other properties, before the erection of a Coast smelter and refinery were started.

The Pacific Tidewater Company was moving in the right direction in acquiring properties to be developed, as was the Consolidated in the Northern Interior, which in the end might give production that would warrant the smelter being built.

While he did not pretend to offer any prophecy as to the price of copper for the future, Mr. Calloway alluded to the strong position in which copper was at the present time. For the next two or three years he felt that the position of affairs should be better than the last three or four years. It was possible that somewhere around eighteen cents might be the average price.

The officer of the Department of Mines alluded to the fact that in the last thirty years, during which time copper mining had been carried on in this province, the companies had been mining and treating ore of from 1 to 3 per cent copper content, and had been making a profit regardless of the prices that prevailed. It was therefore reasonable to expect that they might continue to mine copper ore profitably, regardless of the price of the metal.

The great concern, he said, was to see that there was sufficient ahead in order to keep up the supply. From the outline that he had given of the situation he believed that the ore in sight or reasonably expected to be taken out of the properties which were being developed and worked there was sufficient to keep up the average yearly production of the province for another eighty or ten years. The future of this was to be kept up, which would have to be provided for by new undertakings of ore.

From his experience and the outlook as he saw it, he felt that at the end of the period mentioned there would still be a good or even a better production of ore than was now characterizing British Columbia.

DATES BACK 38 YEARS

In tracing the history of copper mining in the province, Mr. Galloway said that it really began about 1894 when some 300,000 pounds of the metal was produced, valued at about $10,000. The output in 1928 had reached a production of 98,000,000 pounds with a value of $14,250,000. This was a high record for the province, being well on to 50 per cent above that which was produced in 1916, when there was great unprecedented demand for the metal.

The speaker traced the various producing camps of the province but pointed out that for the most part the production had been with low grade ores. In this review he referred to what had been done on Vancouver Island, the southern end of the Island at least in days gone by, mentioning the Lenora and the Tyee. He also alluded to the Texada camp, and expressed the opinion that that island might well be expected to again come back to some extent at least in the production of copper.

In the line of metallurgy the provincial operators had kept up to the front, and this was borne out by the fact that such low grade ores were made to produce a profit. There was being handled ores of as low a grade as 1 per cent copper content by direct smelting process.

He gave figures that he had worked out relative to the history of the copper production of the province, wherein he expressed the opinion that up to the end of 1928 the combined operations had shown a profit of 15 per cent of the net value of the production. This, he said, was a showing which not a great many other industries would be able to show.

The proven and the probable ore in the various properties that were being operated at the present time gave a promise of about ten years longer operations, producing at the present rate which was in effect in the province. Much of this ore was in the three large producers which he had mentioned. It did not include possible ore bodies that might be opened up in these properties. The possible ores to be developed would very far surpass those quantities that he had mentioned.

With twenty-cent copper, should such a price as that be maintained, he pointed out that there was the possibility of very large showings being made possible in work over of lower percentage than at present.

At the end of ten years he was confident the province would be just as good a producer as it was today, and perhaps larger.

SITUATION ON ISLAND

In the finding of new bodies he referred to the possibilities of old properties being worked, with the result that new showings would be made. The southern end of Vancouver Island would probably be one of the most important among these developments.

There were the developments in the existing properties also to be considered, and the opening up of developments in newer parts of the province.

Mr. G. E. Winkler introduced the speaker, referring to the pleasure they had in having his address there.

Mr. C. P. Hill paid a compliment to the address, and corroborated the statements of the speaker with respect to the necessity of getting the various properties to concentrate on smelting within the province.

Barber: "What do you think of Communism?"
Client: "My views are the same as yours."
Barber: "But you don't know my views."
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LONDON, April 16—A Reuter's dispatch from Dehradun, India, reports that a small bridge caught fire accidentally near Hardwar, shortly before a train bearing the Viceroy of India, Lord Irwin, and Lady Irwin to Dehradun arrived. One sleeper on the bridge was burned and the Viceroy's train was held up for an hour until it had been ascertained that the bridge was safe.

A Delhi message to the Exchange Telegraph gives a more alarming but unconfirmed version of an accident reprinted from a Delhi paper.

This report states that an attempt to wreck the train bearing the Viceroy and Lady Irwin was made early Saturday a short distance beyond Sasarangur.

Off On Trip in Interests of B.C. Timber

MR. C. A. Cotterell, vice-president of the Canadian Forestry Association, is here shown bidding good-by to S. A. Anfield, official lecturer, who left Thursday evening on a four-month tour of British Columbia for the purpose of demonstrating to residents the value of keeping British Columbia timber green. Motion picture films, lantern slides and literature are all carried in the car and will be broadcast throughout lumber camps, service clubs and large communities.

ISLAND CASES BEFORE COURT FOR AWARDS

Recommendations in Respect to Applications Under Reparations Section of Paris Treaty

MANY CASES FROM HESPERIAN LOSS

One Sailor Here Had Two Ships Torpedoed Under Him Within Few Weeks' Interval.

Details of the claims from Vancouver Island points for enemy damage during the Great War are reported by the commissioner for Canada (Mr James Friel) in Volume Two of the Reparations Report—to ascertain whether such claims are within the first Annex to Section I of Part VIII of the Treaty of Versailles

The list for the Island, selected from British Columbia cases, with the decision recommended, follows:

William Ahrens, Quadra Street, claim for loss of personal effects in torpedoing of Ss Hesperian, September 4 1915, claim of $102 allowed with 5 per cent interest

Mrs Elizabeth Dakers, 1523 Amphion Street, claim for loss of husband when master of Ss. Tagona Captain Frederick Charles Dakers being drowned with eight men on May 16, 1916. Allowance awarded of $4,000 with similar interest from January 10, 1920. She receives a pension from the British Board of Trade.

HESPERIAN CASES

Mrs. E E Fletcher, 1482 Dallas Road, loss of personal effects in sinking of Ss. Hesperian, $2,200 allowed with same rate of interest

Great War Veterans' Association. Report that no details have been filed.

Major P T. Stern, Pacific Club, who also was a victim of the Hesperian torpedoing The commissioner awards $1,190.20 for loss of civilian property, the claimant having been compensated for loss of military equipment.

Mr William Taylor and Mrs. Ellen Taylor, also Hesperian sufferers, one child being drowned in the disaster. Allowance recommended of $833 to husband, and $646 to wife, plus $1,000 solatium to wife for effects of exposure and shock.

Lieut.-General Sir Percy Lake, 1004 Terrace Avenue, claim for loss of personal effects and furniture when Ss. Arabia was torpedoed and sunk in the Mediterranean, November 6, 1918, allowance of $1,339.64 plus interest, being part uncovered by insurance already paid

Mrs. Dorcas MacDonald, 1239 Pandora Avenue, loss of goods shipped on Ss. Hesperian, $27.06, with interest.

TWICE TORPEDOED

Allan R. MacSwain, sailor resident at Seaman's Institute, employed on the Ss Wapello when torpedoed, June 16, 1917, and the oil tanker San Dunstano, torpedoed September 5, 1917, claim of $375 for loss of personal effects, plus $400 solatium or torpedo money, on Admiralty scale, of $775, plus interest.

Mrs. A. H. Menger-Morgan, care of Messrs. Pemberton & Son, naturalized British subject, who lost property in capture of Antwerp by the Germans, allowance of $1,015.32.

Mrs. Maud H. Pickard, care of Messrs. Crease & Crease, widow of Frederick P Pickard, of Royal Marine Service, who lost his life when Ss. Persia was sunk. Disallowed in Canada as Mr Pickard was serving in British Army when drowned. Case transferred to British pension authorities.

Mrs. B W W. Smith, 1501 Beach Drive, widow of a British barrister who lost his life in sinking of Lusitania, May 7, 1915, when returning as passenger to join his Officers' Training Corps (Inns of Court) Commission cannot allow claim for loss of life, but allows $1,000 for loss of personal effects being taken back by her husband Canadian Pension Board is making allowance for widow and child up to age of sixteen.

Mr Robert W. Whaley, 538 Harbinger Avenue, who was a passenger on the Lusitania when she was lost. Recommendation of $1,000 for injury to health, and $417.50 for loss of personal effects.

Mr. Robert J. Williamson, 329 Simcoe Street, who lost his wife on the P. & O steamer Maloja, February 29, 1918, when the vessel struck a submerged mine off Dover, was blown up and immediately sank. Allowance of $700 effects, $1,000 loss of life of wife, and $250 for money expended in search of body, with usual interest

OAK BAY

Miss Alice Digby, 1182 Mitchell Street, loss of personal effects in sinking of Hesperian, in which claimant and her mother were passengers. Allowance of $1,000 for effects

ESQUIMALT

Mrs. S. Gilman, 481 Fraser Street The claimant, since deceased, sought compensation for the loss of her son, James Thomas Chadwick, who was a steward on the hospital ship Glenart Castle, torpedoed in the Bristol Channel, February 28 1918 In view of the death of the mother $2,000 jointly is allowed Charles Gilman, stepfather, on account of age and ill health, and a brother, Frederick S. Chadwick, who also helped to support the family.

Mr. William McLaurin, 641 Ellery Street, is allowed $277.75 compensation for the loss of personal effects when a sailor on leave to take an instructional course at Portsmouth, when H.M.S. Calgarian, auxiliary cruiser, was sunk by an enemy submarine, March 1, 1918

John T. Jones, 641 Ellery Street, claim for loss of personal effects when working on Ss Westmorland when attacked and beached on February 6, 1918. Sum of $208.50 allowed with interest.

SIDNEY

Col. W H Benson, who was A.D.C. to Lieut.-Gen Sir Percy Lake, when returning to his battalion on the Ss. Arabia, when the vessel was sunk by a submarine Failing a list of effects the commissioner is unable to make an award, within the categories of the treaty.

GANGES

Mrs Agnes Kerr, Ganges, claims for the loss of her husband, Captain Finley Kerr, master of the Ss Myanza, sunk with all lives off the coast of Scotland, September 29, 1918. The only compensation has been a small pension from the British Board of Trade Allowance recommended of $5,000 with interest

KOKSILAH

Mrs James Gibson, claim for loss of personal effects when Ss. Hesperian was sunk, $550 with interest recommended

LADYSMITH

Mr George W Harrison, allowance for loss of personal effects on Ss. Lusitania, while proceeding to England, after being refused acceptance in Canada. Allowance of $800 recommended

NANAIMO

James W and Robert Thompson, 255 Nicol Street and 263 Nicol Street, Nanaimo. Both were passengers on the Hesperian, and each claimed for loss of personal effects. In the case of Robert Thompson the claim is recommended for $874.25 for loss of effects of self and family. In the case of J W Thompson the sum of $304.75 is recommended.

LOCALLY REGISTERED SHIP

The commissioner refuses to interfere in the case of the British ship Drummuir, registered at this port, which was owned by a Canadian corporation whose capital stock was held by Hind, Rolph & Co., of San Francisco The shareholders were all Americans. There were only enough Canadian directors' shares to qualify for management. The vessel was captured and sunk by the Germans sixty miles north of Cape Horn, December 6, 1914 The owners received £2,766 war risk insurance, leaving the sum of £5,745 18s 1d to represent the loss sustained. The commissioner considers that the matter was one for the American Government, but that the situation was complicated by the winding up of the company, and its transfer to A. P Rolph, London, Eng He died on May 15, 1917, leaving all his property to his wife. She presented a claim to the reparations department of the British Board of Trade in 1921, and the matter was later turned over to the Canadian Government.

HINDU ARRAIGNED ON THEFT CHARGE

Sanda Singh Pleads Not Guilty to Count of Stealing $100—Case Remanded Until Friday

Sunda Singh, a Hindu, was arraigned before Magistrate George Jay in the city police court yesterday to face a charge of stealing on April 2 the sum of $100 the property of Gurdit Singh The accused, who was arrested by Detectives Stark and Phipps, elected summary trial, and pleaded not guilty. The case was remanded until next Friday, April 19, Mr. Fred C. Elliott appeared as counsel for Sunda Singh.

Tommy Steele, an Indian, pleaded not guilty to a charge of driving an automobile on Yates Street while intoxicated on April 14. Sergeant Thomas Hall and Constables Noel G Griffiths and Duncan McPherson testified for the prosecution. Asked by the court whether he wished to give testimony on his own behalf, the accused said he couldn't speak English very well. The hearing was adjourned at this point until tomorrow morning to secure the services of an interpreter.

A second charge against Steele, of being intoxicated in a public place, was also remanded until tomorrow

A fine of $5 was imposed on Edward Rochon, who pleaded guilty to a charge of failing to bring his automobile to a full stop upon entering an arterial highway

PRESENTATION OF FLAG MADE

Kiwanis Club Gives Ensign to Mr. Paul Paquin Who Will Paddle Canoe Across Canada

Presentation of a Canadian ensign to Mr Paul Paquin, of Montreal, a French-Canadian, who will shortly paddle his own canoe across Canada from Vancouver to Halifax, was made yesterday by Mr Kenneth Ferguson, on behalf of the Victoria Kiwanis Club, at the weekly luncheon meeting of the Kiwanis organization in the Empress Hotel ballroom

Mr Ferguson conveyed the best wishes of the Kiwanians to Mr Paquin, who said he hoped his expedition would be advantageous to science and history, and would also help in solving serious questions concerning colonization and repatriation.

"We trust that as the Canadian ensign flies at the bow of your canoe, it will remind you of Victoria, and that when you reach Montreal you will convey our greetings to the Kiwanis Club of that city," said Mr Ferguson, in making the presentation. Mr Paquin, in a few words, thanked the club for the gift and for its expression of best wishes.

President J Brooke Stephenson was chosen as delegate of the Victoria club, and Vice-President Donald McAdie was named as alternate, to the annual Kiwanis International convention, which will be held in Milwaukee in June.

Messrs. Hubert Brown, Walter Revercomb, Len Jones and T A McKierahan, new members of the club, were introduced.

Mr. Harold M Diggon announced that the Players' Club of the University of British Columbia would present the playlet, "Rollo's Wild Oats," on Wednesday, May 1, in Victoria, under the auspices of the Kiwanis organization.

Mr Austin Curtis urged the support of the clubmen for the Victoria Musical Festival He said the Kiwanis Club orchestra would be competing at the festival on Friday at 2 o'clock, in Temple Hall.

So many stories are being raked up at the expense of the plumber that it is a pleasure to give one in which he scored Here it is When the plumber entered the dining-room of a very opulent lady, she rang the bell and ostentatiously instructed the maid to remove the plate and the other valuables from the sideboard. The plumber promptly removed his watch and chain, also his money from his pocket, and handed them to his mate "'Ere," he said "just you take these ome to my missus. This 'ouse ain't safe."

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THE MUSICAL FESTIVAL

Few movements started here within recent years have attracted more public interest or established itself on a more solid footing than the Musical Festival which has now come to be looked forward to with more and more pleasurable anticipation all the time. The Festival is now in full swing, and judging from the number of entries, the standard of the talent engaged, and more intense competition than ever before, the event promises upon the present occasion to exceed the expectations of its founders. Victoria has been noted for many years past as a musical centre where there is keen and cultured appreciation of the art. This has been the verdict of the great artists who have come here. Small as the population is this is a fitting centre for an annual festival of music as results have shown and as they continue to emphasize.

If there is anything to regret in connection with such a musical festival it is that it cannot be held under the one roof. The public can only hear it in parts and in a spasmodic way, because, with so many events and so many entries, it is necessary to hold competitions simultaneously in different buildings. This is a handicap which could only be overcome by having an adequate building properly equipped, and by extending the festival over a longer period. Possibly there is little hope of this goal being reached for several years, but it is an aim of the future. The festival, or any festival of the kind, loses some of its attraction by the manner in which it is necessary to dissipate its energies.

What Victorians have to congratulate themselves on more than anything else is the high class of musical talent found in their midst, and the high standard of compositions which afford delectation to the public on the occasion of a musical festival. There is evidence of an excellent taste in the community, which is all the more satisfactory in what has become known as a "jazz age." The musical fraternity, too, is fortunate in securing excellent judges for the festival. The enthusiasm which has marked the organization of the present event, shown by the number of volunteer workers who have given their services, is an augury of success. The competitions, even on the opening day, are attracting larger audiences than last year, a substantial indication of the growing popularity of this annual event. Its founders should be proud of their work.

BRITAIN'S FINANCES

Britain's Budget for the present fiscal year shows an estimated expenditure of £822,584,000 and an estimated revenue of £826,690,000. The estimated surplus is, therefore, £4,096,000. The Conservative Government in Britain always estimates conservatively so that the likelihood is, if conditions continue to improve as they are improving, that the surplus will be in excess of the Chancellor's estimate. The surplus realized on last year's budget was £11,976,000. In the estimates for the present financial year the supply votes come to £421,174,000. The fixed debt charge is £355,000,000. The supply estimates are increased by £15,500,000, which involves grants payable to local authorities under the rating scheme. In the campaign of economy practised by the present Chancellor of the Exchequer a reduction of some £500,000 has been made in the Civil Service votes. There have been reductions of £3,500,000 on account of war pensions and £1,250,000 on the beet sugar subsidy.

In Britain, as in practically every other country, there is an upward trend in governmental expenditures. This will maintain, there as elsewhere, until the popular will becomes adamant on the subject of reductions, or else, until, as Mr. Churchill himself said in 1925: "It is only by the House of Commons making up its mind to fight for a particular figure and insisting on the reduction below a particular limit that the powerful upward tendency of public expenditures can be kept in check." As matters stand as soon as the estimates are printed the taxpayer knows what to expect even before the votes are passed by Parliament. In relation to this The London Times said not long ago: "A competent coroner is, of course, eminently desirable, but what the taxpayer needs most is an effective policeman."

Taxation changes in the British Budget may not be very large in their aggregate but they are of a character which are going to affect, and to some extent relieve, the people as a whole. The duty of 8 cents a pound on tea is to be repealed, which is a measure of grace at a time when the cost of living is so consistently on the increase. The betting tax is repealed because it has been found so difficult to collect under the bookmaking system. Bookmakers, however, will continue to be taxed by a £10 license duty and a £40 tax for each office they occupy. The tax through the totalisator system of betting which is being put into force in Britain will be at the very small rate of one-half of one per cent on the takings in the machines. The railway passenger duty is to be repealed and the money thus saved is to be spent by railways in modernizing rail transport. There is to be relief of local taxes on agricultural land and buildings, and by next October relief for industrial and transportation property will go into effect. An increase in the grants for roads (for new construction) is foreshadowed and in the employment on new construction half of the workers must be drawn from the distressed areas. There is to be a 25 per cent reduction in retail liquor licences. On the other hand there is a new duty on brewers, distillers and tobacco manufacturers which will neutralize their deriving benefits under the local tax relief measure.

The Budget gives evidence of having been designed to relieve unemployment and to give taxation concessions in those quarters where they will be most appreciated. There are no reductions in social service benefits as such are not considered desirable. The Budget, prepared on the eve of a general election, might have gone a great deal further in promising expenditures to afford relief for unemployment, but, on the other hand, that would have meant new taxation which there has been every effort to avoid. Mr. Churchill does not believe in bribing the electorate. The Budget is a business document in its essential features, designed to maintain fiscal stability and to keep the nation's expenditure well within revenue. It will be attacked by both Laborites and Liberals because it does not foreshadow eleemosynary expenditures on a greater scale, but, with industrial and trade conditions in Britain improving all the time, it is likely to be viewed with satisfaction by the bulk of the people and in this respect to prove an asset to the Conservative cause in the coming election.

THE TAX FOR EDUCATION

The decision reached by Mr. J. Hinchliffe, the Provincial Minister of Education, to come into personal contact with the various municipal and school authorities with a view to reaching a decision on what should be an equitable basis for educational taxation is a wise one. It will commend itself to all those who realize that at present there are elements in the population of this province unduly heavily taxed for educational purposes, while others do not pay their share, or go scot-free. At present the largest proportion of taxation for education falls on the land. That is the main source upon which municipalities and school districts have to draw. The Provincial Government pays its share out of consolidated revenue and it is not clear at all why on the one hand land owners should have to bear the brunt while on the other the taxpayers as a whole, including the land owners, are called upon to foot the Province's portion of the educational bill. Under this system the land owners are paying twice for educational facilities.

It is evident that what Mr. Hinchliffe has in view is to establish a basis of taxation which will be equitable in its incidence and permanent in results. If there is one tax beyond all others which should fall in proportion to individual resources, on all the people it is that for educational purpose. That is not the case at present. The consequence is that a certain disgruntlement has arisen. There are complaints that as time goes on the educational tax is inflicting too heavy a burden on the land, and hence retarding development. These complaints will multiply unless measures are taken to distribute the tax in such a way as to make it applicable all round, for practically all families, directly or incidentally, derive advantages from the educational system. Whatever is devised should act as a relief for municipal finances which are now bearing too heavy a proportion of the cost of education. Mr. Hinchliffe, no doubt, has some definite purpose in view, possibly the collection of an educational tax through the medium of such a body as the Workmen's Compensation Board. This would be one way of devising a basis for making it much more equitable than it is at present.

There are three things that a sportsman in a crowd at a football match will not do—shout at the referee or a touch judge; make a disturbance when a kick at goal is being taken, and cheer only the side that he supports.

The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 8 p.m., July 16, 1929.

TEMPERATURES

	Rain	Min.	Max.
Victoria	Trace	43	51
Nanaimo	.68	42	53
Vancouver	.01	42	54
Kamloops	..	42	62
Barkerville	.03	36	40
Estevan Point	.24	38	44
Prince Rupert	.06	34	46
Dawson	..	28	46
Seattle	..	44	50
Portland	..	46	54
San Francisco	..	52	66
Spokane	Trace	44	22
Los Angeles	..	54	70
Penticton	.12	36	60
Vernon	.07	27	60
Grand Forks	.07	..	..
Nelson	.18	34	52
Kaslo	..	34	50
Cranbrook	..	22	50
Calgary	..	22	56
Edmonton	.02	26	44
Swift Current	..	34	58
Prince Albert	..	30	42
Qu'Appelle	..	32	46
Winnipeg	..	32	52

FORECASTS

Victoria and Vicinity—Moderate to fresh westerly winds, partly cloudy and mild with showers.

Vancouver and Vicinity—Moderate to fresh westerly winds, partly cloudy and mild with showers.

TUESDAY

Maximum	51
Minimum	43
Average	47
Minimum on the grass	36

Bright sunshine, 8 hours 24 minutes.
Rain, .12 inch.
General state of the weather, fair.

2 P.M. WEATHER REPORTS

Victoria—Barometer, 30.06, wind, W., 12 miles; fair.
Vancouver—Barometer, 30.04, wind, S.W., 10 miles; cloudy.
Kamloops—Barometer, 29.78, wind, S.E., 6 miles; fair.
Barkerville—Barometer, 29.66, calm.
Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.84, calm; cloudy.
Estevan Point—Barometer, 29.90, wind, S., 18 miles; raining.
Tatoosh—Barometer, 30.02; wind, S., 30 miles; cloudy.
Portland—Barometer, 30.16, wind, W., 14 miles; cloudy.
Seattle—Barometer, 30.10; wind, S., 20 miles, cloudy.
San Francisco—Barometer, 30.04; wind, N.W., 14 miles; fair.

ARTISTS IN DISTRESS

The statement by the president of the Royal Academy that want and privation are rampant among artists can only too readily be believed. The painter of pictures and the sculptor are engaged in luxury trade, which are among the first to feel the chill wind of commercial depression. It must be hard for those who cannot sell their quite creditable work to read of the huge prices paid for old masters, which, at the time of their production, were purchased, comparatively speaking, for a song. As an Irish artist put it, "No painter can make a living nowadays until he has been dead for several centuries."—"Peter Simple," in The London Morning Post.

MARSHAL FOCH'S PUN

Not for many years has the illness of any Frenchman caused such concern as that of Marshal Foch, and there was a constant stream of callers at his house, not only well-known men and women, but a larger number of soldiers and ex-soldiers who had served under him at one time and another. A story is told of Foch during his illness to the effect that he said to one of his doctors that it had been prophesied that he would die "par le Rhin" (by the Rhine). "As I survived the war," he added, "you are now afraid that I shall die 'par le rein' (by the kidneys)." The pun is a good one as the words "rein" and "Rhin" have the same pronunciation in French.—Belfast Telegraph.

We do not count a man's years, until he has nothing else to count.—R. W. Emerson.

Note and Comment

By R. B. D.

We have undergone a change of mind (and possibly of spirit) as sudden and as complete as the most enthusiastic and vociferous of Rev. Aimee Semple's most horrible of "horrible examples." And our conversion was miraculous as well as sudden. It was accomplished in the twinkling of an eye, not by the spoken but by the written word, and the word was written by a mere woman. Henceforth know all men (and all women too) by these presents that never again shall we write a single word that may seem in disparagement of Mrs. Mary Ellen Smith, Miss Agnes MacPhail, Lady Asquith, the Countess of Astor, or of any of the five million flappers who have little or nothing to flap with but who hold the political destiny of Great Britain and the future of the British Empire in the hollow of their dainty and unsoiled little hands.

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One woman has demonstrated to our satisfaction and confusion that the female of the species is vastly more courageous than the male. Read the demonstration:

"I felt the atmosphere the minute I got in. I realized my inferiority complex immediately, and hoped fervently that no one would ever find out my weakness for James Whitcomb Riley and detective stories. Learned divines, cultured professors, earnest women, poets, persons whose faces I never expected to see outside a pulpit or occasionally in the newspapers, were everywhere in evidence.

"Then I made up my mind that I would follow the speaker no matter where he went. If all those hundreds present could get his message, so could I.

"I didn't. The first speaker wasn't so bad. Here and there during his perfectly spoken address I came up for air. But the second speaker—mystic though he may be, sage and poet and artist, and prince, though he may be—left me cold and weary and bored, and hungry. Next to me a woman who had gazed with enraptured eyes at the stage suddenly turned to the man beside her and whispered:

"'The chairman's going to sleep.'

"'I don't blame him,' said the tired business man savagely. 'I'm asleep myself.'

"From that time on it got harder to keep quiet. I remembered the story of a man—I think I read it in Thais—who wanted to think something out—so he sat down on the bank of a river and thought for thirty years and the vines grew up around him and the birds built nests in his hair, but still he thought on.

"I suddenly realized that it was a fellow countryman of the speaker who had performed this feat. I wondered with horror how long I would have to sit there and listen to that involved discussion of heaven knew what—what if he meant to make a few days of it. Apparently time was nothing to him. Supposing he went on and on and nothing could stop him—what could we in politeness do. He was our honored guest. We would have to listen to him. Well, there was one thing—the market couldn't get worse if we stayed away for a few days. And right here let me say, for sheer sticking to their guns, commend me to the women. They were there to be inspired, instructed or edified or what have you—and nothing was going to push them off the track."

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The writer was Grace Luckhart, and her writing was published in The Vancouver Province. Mrs. Luckhart has written many clever things for many newspapers, some of which we have read with interest, frequently with delight, but the article she wrote about that speech delivered before the acknowledged intelligentsia of many countries was a masterpiece. It was both humorous and courageous. We sincerely believe that the writer expressed the convictions and feelings of many mere newspaper men, but there was not a newspaper man in Canada who dared to write a single direct word upon the subject. One or two of the erudite regular contributors to the press made oblique references to the matter, but they were all too timid to give written expression to the thoughts that surged within their dome-like heads.

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We have no intention of attempting to excuse ourselves. We were just as timid as the rest of the high-browed fraternity. We admit pusillanimity, but still we had the courage to throw out a hint that the confused and confusing abstractions of the East were utterly incomprehensible to the minds of a majority of the people of the matter-of-fact West. But now that a mere woman has boldly set the example, we shall say something we should have said "off our own bat," and we shall say it in the face of many people who have asked us if the speech was not one of the most wonderful intellectual feasts ever laid before an audience of hungry and thirsty souls. We shall say that the speech was about as comprehensible to a common mind as the nautical definitions of the immortal Captain John Bunsby were to the equally immortal Captain Cuttle. And we further believe that the state of mind of the enthusiastic intelligentsia after listening to the speech was not materially different from our state of mind after reading it or to the state of mind of Cuttle after he had heard the opinions of Bunsby.

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And yet there is little doubt that the speech was illuminating in one respect. The speech cast a great light upon the state of India, and after reading it no one need wonder either at the existing state of public opinion in that great, wonderful, and mysterious country or at the problems confronting the people into whose hands has been placed the responsibility of governing that country in the true interests of a population apparently largely composed of mystics and dreamers. If in the philosophy of the East "leisure is wealth," and Time is contemptible because it represents money, the wisdom of the Orient will not find acceptation in the Occident for many centuries.

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the Editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exceptions.

NEW ZEALAND PARROTS

Sir,—In your issue of February 6 there appears a short article, "More Fascinating Than Fable," signed by Colin G. Welles, Ph.D. A little knowledge has led friend Welles into glaring error, and The Colonist will be made to look ridiculous to New Zealanders who hear this story.

New Zealand is the home of a number of curious parrots. The kaka is purely a forest bird and kaka soup or stew was greatly esteemed by old-timers. The bird is now protected. It lives on grubs found in decayed wood, but it never leaves the forest. In fact, it is only found far back from civilization where heavy timber grows. There are several species of ground parrots, and one, the kea, is found only amongst the rocks over the snow line in the Southern Alps district. This bird was accustomed to finding insects and grubs beneath great patches of a white or grey lichen which grows on the stony ground, and it is supposed that this led to its attacking the bodies of dead or feeble sheep. Anyway it developed. It will attack lambs or feeble sheep, going always for the kidney fat, and its habits are well known. Men with shotguns are constantly after this bird and in time it will be exterminated. It is found only in the high mountains where only merino sheep live and trees are unknown. It is unknown in Australia, where Welles says it lives, and it does not attack a healthy, vigorous sheep as a rule, nor, as far as is known, did it ever search for ticks.

The kaka, libelled by your article, is held in high esteem, so much so that anyone shooting one is liable nowadays to a heavy fine. It is a handsome bird with red breast and brown back and wings and its distinctive call can be heard for miles across forest ravines and in the wilds of such remote places as the Sounds district of Otago.

E. D'ESTERRE

P.O. Box 410, Auckland, New Zealand, March 16, 1929.

CIVIC TAXATION

Sir,—Re your issue of 12th inst., reporting proceedings of Real Estate Board, you quote one of the speakers as saying: "The Balmoral Block is now taxed $7,710." My information is it is taxed this year $6,118, plus sewer or other frontage charges. This property exemplifies how unjustly the mongrel form of single tax in vogue here operates. At a rate of thirty mills on the total value of land and improvements this property would only pay $6,270, a difference of $1,546. Thirty mills on the total value of both land and improvements will produce the same revenue for the city as forty-one mills on the total value of land and fifty per cent of the value of improvements.

The effect of this unjust iniquity is shown in the surrender of unprofitable property, concentrating the burden on such property as will at least pay its taxes. Happen what may, the iniquity remains until the discriminating exemption is obliterated.

Officials state tax notices will soon be issued. Owners can then ascertain, by using the multiple of thirty, whether they are victims or beneficiaries, for there are hundreds of both. A system that will permit of both is rotten.

JOHN DEAN

577 Head Street, Esquimalt, B.C., April 13, 1929.

Mr. Alex. Grant Dies

VANCOUVER, April 16.—Alexander Grant, a pioneer of British Columbia, well known throughout the province as the manager of the Marble Bay Copper Mine at Texada Island in the heyday of its production, died Monday night at the home of his son-in-law, Commander B. L. Johnson, Point Grey Road.

Mr. Grant was born in Banffshire, Scotland, eighty-one years ago, and at the age of ten was taken by his father to Dunedin, N.Z., where he spent his early manhood. In 1875 he married Miss Isobel Dodds and in 1889 came to Vancouver with his young family.

He was identified with a number of business enterprises in Vancouver and in the town of Vananda, Texada Island. He retired from active business in 1908.

The deceased was a life member of the Royal Vancouver Yacht Club, owning and sailing the sloops Siren and Maori.

Jots From Religion

SOCIETY of Friends, commonly known as Quakers, was founded in the seventeenth century by George Fox. This society is distinguished from other Christian bodies by the stress it places upon the immediate teaching and guidance of the Holy Spirit, and their belief that no one should be paid or appointed by human authority to act in the capacity of minister. They have no prearranged meetings or sermons and many of their meetings are in total silence.

KIWANIS CLUB DRIVE LAUDED

MISS EDNA L. MOORE EXPRESSES THANKS FOR SALE OF CHRISTMAS SEALS

Field Worker of Canadian Tuberculosis Society Tells Clubmen of Organization's Progress

Thanks to the Victoria Kiwanians for sponsoring the Christmas seal campaign to raise money for prevention of tuberculosis and the care of those suffering with the disease, were tendered yesterday at the luncheon of the club, in the Empress Hotel ballroom, by Miss Edna L. Moore, field representative of the Canadian Tuberculosis Society, Ottawa.

Miss Moore said the association felt very much encouraged in its work through the success of the local Kiwanis Club's sale of Christmas seals. The association raised $85,000 in 1927, and last year the money obtained totaled $142,500. Kiwanis clubs and other organizations throughout the Dominion had rendered valuable assistance to the association.

"During the past year, of the patients admitted to the Tranquille Sanitarium, fifteen were early cases, thirty-five were moderately advanced cases, and ninety-one were far advanced cases. We are trying to reverse this order, and much of our money is being used with that object in view," the speaker said.

In concluding, Miss Moore expressed the hope that the Victoria Kiwanians would this year again support the Canadian Tuberculosis Association campaign, and sponsor the sale of Christmas seals in this community.

Church parade—St. Mary's Troop and Packs paraded to St. Mary's Church on Sunday. In spite of the bad weather fifty Scouts and Cubs turned out and very much enjoyed the service with special hymns and prayers and a splendid address on scouting by Rev. A. deL. Nunns. An interesting ceremony was the dedication of the troop flag, carried in by the color party, Troop Leader Bob Gornall, Patrol Leaders John Gornall and Will Marshall. Scoutmaster R. R. Forrester received the flag from them and presented it to Rev. A. deL. Nunns, who laid it on the altar, where it remained until after the National Anthem, when the color party formed up and carried it from the church and the troop and pack paraded back to headquarters.

St. Mary's North Pack—The Cubs began their meeting with the "Law Game." The Cub instructors and sixers then took charge of the meeting, and gave instruction in signaling, compass and knotting games of "bottle target," animal ball and story acting were played and the Cubs gave a grand howl of welcome to Miss White, a visiting cubmaster from Ottawa. Miss Mary Madden, who hopes to become an acting baloo, and Rev. A. deL. Nunns were also visitors during the afternoon. Akela read out the points gained by each six during the month of March. Timber Wolves, 297; Grey Wolves, 292; Brown Wolves, 247.

Fairfield Pack—Leon Camsusa was made second of the Red Six and George Corbett second of the Grey Six and each received his first stripe. Baloo read the story of the Bagheera dance, which was then acted by the pack instead of the usual star work. Games of "balloon" and "animal train" were played, followed by "whispered message." Jack Grogan passed his time telling test.

Oaklands Pack—A good study of the jungle dance was made, each Cub having his chance as leader. A new game, "farm yard train," was played, giving plenty of licence for noise. Sixer McCrindle, who has passed all his tests, renewed his promise and received his second star. The following promotions were made during the meeting: Sixer Bill Duncan, to senior sixer of the pack; Second Colin Lucas, to sixer of the White Wolves, with Cub James Coutts as second; Second Kenneth McCrindle, to sixer of the Pawnies, with Cub Victor Turner as second. Seconds Leonard Smith and James Coutts and Cub Archie Coutts each submitted a very perfect little model for their handiwork test toward gaining their second stars.

The local associations of Girl Guides and Boy Scouts will hold a joint dance in the Amphion Hall, Yates Street, under the distinguished patronage of His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Miss Mackenzie on Friday.

Akelas are asked to note that the bun feed will take place at headquarters, 1189 Yates Street, on Saturday, April 20.

On Saturday Victoria Pack, under Akela Slater, entertained St. Barnabas' Pack and Akela Phipps at a most enjoyable bun feed at their headquarters, Yates Street. Games played were "bottle target," two "balloon" games, dribble ball and "move it." After supper Akela Phipps read two animal stories to the Cubs. The grand howl and prayer brought a jolly time to a close. E. Slater and A. Woollett assisted Akela Slater. Rev. N. E. Smith was a visitor.

Third Victoria Pack—At the pack's last meeting the following games were played: "Dribble," "pass it," and "knotting." Akela told the Cubs the jungle story of "Bagheera the Panther and His Hunting." Then the pack performed the jungle dance of "Bagheera," Ernie Rance being the "deer" and Laurence Macrae the leader of the pack.

St. Barnabas' Pack—Christopher Smith was promoted to sixer of the Timber Wolves and Raymond Moore to second of the Brown Wolves, and received their stripes. First star work was taken, most of the time being devoted to knots. Games played were "stand up, sit down," and "ball and balloon." Two recruits welcomed to the pack were Clifford Howell and Billy Hedman.

Foreign Trade for Last Fiscal Year

OTTAWA, April 16.—Canada's total trade for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1929, amounted to $2,655,139,985, an increase of $295,762,880 over the figure of $2,359,270,105 for the year ended March 31, 1928.

Exports of Canadian produce were valued at $1,364,645,806, thus exceeding imports of foreign products by $99,330,595. When foreign re-exports were added, the total in excess of imports was $124,524,563.

Imports for 1929 were greater than the imports for 1928 by $156,387,403, while exports also exceeded those for the previous year by only a slightly smaller figure, $136,436,200.

Wheat constituted nearly one-third of Canada's total exports, the value being $428,524,326, as compared with $352,117,150 last year.

The amount of customs duty received in the twelve months' period totaled $184,483,824.85, an increase of $30,000,000 over the previous year. Income tax collections totaled $59,422,297.75, an increase of ..,451,250.37 for the year.

The Rhyming Optimist

By Aline Michaelis

DEAD LEAVES

Dead leaves lie thickly down the forest ways,
Where Autumn tossed them with a gusty breath,
And there, through Winter's ice-crowned, storm-swept days,
They still have fluttered, restless e'en in death.
The wind has heaped them up beside the brook
And piled them deeply by the willow-hedge,
Their vanquished hosts are scattered in each nook
Of hollowed earth along the rocky ledge.
Dead leaves! Poor skeletons of lovely things
That once danced lightly on the Summer breeze
And, lifting up their emerald-tinted wings,
Lent joyous promise to the stately trees!
Dead now . . . but peer beneath, against Earth's Mould
In dead leaves' shelter Spring's first flowers unfold!

DR. EDWARDS ILL

OTTAWA, April 16.—The condition of Hon. J. W. Edwards, Conservative member of Parliament for Frontenac-Addington, was reported as "very slightly improved" in a hospital bulletin issued this morning. Dr. Edwards was seized with a heart attack shortly after delivering a speech last night in the House of Commons.

While he was proceeding slowly to his room, Dr. Edwards' condition was noticed and a number of medical members of his party rushed to his assistance. Shortly after midnight Dr. Edwards was moved to the Ottawa civic hospital.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily British Colonist of April 17, 1879)

Many counterfeit coins are reported in circulation throughout the city.

Mr. T. Chadwick is organizing a licensed victuallers' association, and thirty or forty signatures in Victoria and Esquimalt have been received.

The British squadron on the Pacific station, under the command of Rear Admiral A. F. de Horsey, consists of the ironclad Triumph, flagship, steamers Opal, Turquoise, Osprey, Pelican, Penguin and Rocket.

$50,000.00 for One Vase!!

IT was no ordinary vase, of course, that thirty years ago called forth a bid of $50,000 from American collectors! It was the famous Portland Vase—dating back to A.D. 235—believed to have contained the ashes of the Roman Emperor Severus—buried near Rome for centuries—in the British Museum for 118 years—and now about to be auctioned at Christie's on May 2.

A century and a half ago Josiah Wedgwood strove to reproduce the glorious blue, the graceful white figures of the muses and the marvelously lovely proportions of the Portland Vase. The result was Wedgwood Jasper Ware . . . and at Weiler's today you will find a complete display of this exquisite pottery inspired by the Portland Vase. It would be a pleasure to show it to you at any time!

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Ontario Bank Robbery

HAMILTON, April 16—While two of their comrades waited outside in a stolen car, two armed bandits entered the branch of the Bank of Commerce at Beamsville, near here, shortly before 2 o'clock this afternoon and held up the staff. According to early reports the men secured several hundred dollars, but missed the largest sum of currency in the building.

The alarm given by two small boys on the street brought a constable out of a nearby drug store and was in time to see the car move away. He drew his revenber and fired on the fugitives, who returned a fusillade but the bullets missed their mark.

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L.O.O.P.

The officers and members of Dominion Lodge No. 1, L.O.O.P., are requested to meet at the Hall, Douglas Street, at 1:30 P.M. Wednesday, April 17, for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late brother, George V. Carson. P.G. Sojourning brethren cordially invited to attend.

By order, C. J. Deacon, N.G.
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In natural, restful sleep your pulse gradually slows down, and the blood pressure drops.

In insomnia unnatural sleep, your pulse will actually become faster, and the blood pressure higher.

Now there is no question but that your brain may be the cause of this, because your mind is on the victories or defeats of the last past, or planning the work of the morrow.

There is another factor that is constantly overlooked however. It is the body itself, aside from the brain. Are you aware, for example, that you know, if your mind is kept alert, by a leaking tap in the bathroom, or by any other a barking dog, or by any other noise. It is almost impossible to get to sleep.

No, there are times when you are twenty miles from anywhere, without a sound or noise of any kind. In a well ventilated room, and yet sleep will not come.

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What happens?

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This means that muscles are kept tensed, and tensed muscles will keep you awake.

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THEO. BOGGS IS CONVICTED OF MANSLAUGHTER

Jury Finds U.B.C. Student Guilty With Strong Recommendation for Mercy —Pedestrian Killed

EXCESSIVE SPEED OF CAR ALLEGED

VANCOUVER, April 16.—Theodore Boggs, twenty-year old University of British Columbia student, was this afternoon found guilty by a jury in assize court of manslaughter "with a very, very strong recommendation for mercy," arising out of the death of Edward Oliver Kaye, who was run down and killed by an automobile on January 13 last, at the intersection of Granville and Pacific Streets. Boggs was remanded for sentence by Mr. Justice Gregory.

Immediately following the jury's verdict, and the judge's announcement, postponing sentence, the youthful prisoner was escorted below to a provincial police cell, where he was visited by his father, Professor Boggs of the U.B.C., and by friends.

Charging the jury on the law and the evidence, his lordship spoke for twenty-five minutes.

TO PROTECT OTHERS:

"You have a duty to society to protect them against being killed unlawfully," said his lordship. "But you have a duty to this young man to see that he is not improperly convicted."

"His conviction cannot bring back the life of the unfortunate man, who was killed," reminded the judge.

"You have nothing whatever to do with the penalty which may be inflicted if you find him guilty," he pointed out when criticizing defence counsel for appealing to his address to the jury that Boggs might be sent to the penitentiary.

"I am not asking you to find the young man guilty, he said. "I am not asking you to find him innocent. That is a matter entirely for you."

Discussing the three counts of the indictment which charged manslaughter, grievous bodily injury, and bodily harm, by wanton and furious driving or racing, the judge said that he shared defence counsel's remark that "Personally, I cannot see how you can find him not guilty on the first count, and guilty on the other two counts."

RATE OF SPEED

It was not necessary for the jury to come to a conclusion on the rate of speed which the accused was driving, he stated, but the jury should be satisfied that the speed of the motor car prevented the pedestrian getting out of the way.

"Recreation is what happened," advised his lordship. "Do you think it possible that all these witnesses who came here and testified to excessive speed were mistaken?"

Two questions confronted the jury, said the judge. One was whether the car was traveling at such a speed as to be dangerous to pedestrians, and whether it knocked down the deceased. The other was whether the accused was driving the car because if he was not driving, he could not be guilty of the offence charged.

DIES SUDDENLY

Oil Broker, Well Known Here, Passes at Los Angeles—Was Building at North Saanich

Victoria friends of Mr Frank H. Mitchell, of Los Angeles, where he was engaged as an oil broker, have heard with regret of his sudden death.

Mr. Mitchell passed away in his cabin on the alcazar on which he was traveling was entering Los Angeles harbor. He had been here recently arranging to build a bungalow at Deep Cove.

He is survived by a widow and an adopted daughter.

BURIED AT COBBLE HILL

Mr. W. J. T. Dougan Dies at Early Age After Long Struggle With Illness

Mr. and Mrs J. J. Dougan, formerly of Cobble Hill, and one of Port Planey, have been bereaved by the death of their son, Wilson J. T. Dougan, who passed away in hospital from an attack of bronchial pneumonia.

Born June 19, 1892, at Vancouver, the boy developed remarkable mentality, combined unfortunately with a delicate physique which caused him much trouble during school years.

However he proceeded steadily through public school, high school and to the university, his college course being interrupted on two occasions when he had to go to the country to recuperate. He trained as a teacher at Normal School and, after a brief appointment in the neighborhood of New Westminster, he became vice-principal of Hastings School, Vancouver. Ill health continued to worry him and he was obliged to take a traveling appointment between Winnipeg and the Coast.

He was a linguist and an accomplished debater at the university.

The burial took place at Cobble Hill, in the private family burial ground, where three generations of the family lie, in the presence of many members of the family and friends.

INQUEST VERDICT

The coroner's jury, which yesterday inquired into the death of Mr. Ulyse Pedneault, who was drowned on Saturday night when he fell off a boom of logs under Parson's Bridge, returned a verdict of accidental death. The inquest was held at Sands Funeral Chapel, with Dr. E. C. Hart, the coroner, officiating.

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ORGAN RECITAL PLEASING ONE

Professor Warren D. Allen, Adjudicator at Musical Festival, Gives Prelude in First Programme

Professor Warren D. Allen, organist and professor of music at Leland Stanford University, California, gave an organ recital on the Metropolitan Church organ last night as a prelude to the main programme of teen finals of the Victoria Musical Festival. His playing showed a mastery of music seldom witnessed by Victorians. He opened his programme with a delightful study in chimes, "Carillon in F Flat," by Vierne. He followed this by another of similar character, but possibly more pleasing than the first in its cloister effect. His second number was one of Alexander Boyle's, "St. Lawrence Sketches." It included the bell theme of the Church of Ste. Anne de Beaupre, and because of this was called the "Bells of Ste. Anne de Beaupre."

Professor Allen concluded his programme with that stirring march, "Pomp and Circumstance," which everyone knows because of that gem of patriotic airs, "Land of Hope and Glory." The interpretation of all three selections left nothing to be desired. The success of the recital was evidenced in the prolonged applause accorded the player by the large audience.

Obituary

JANES—Many friends were present at the funeral of Mrs. Anna Maria Janes, which took place yesterday afternoon from the Thomson Funeral Home. Rev. Mr. Patterson conducted the service, in which the hymns, "Peace, Perfect Peace," and "Safe in the Arms of Jesus," were sung. Many beautiful floral tributes were received. The pallbearers were Messrs. J. W. Bond, George Homer, H. G. Dalby, F. R. Jones, C. Jones and Sidney Sandale. Interment was made in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

MATTA—The death occurred at the Jubilee Hospital yesterday of Mrs. Mina Moata, aged fifty-seven years, a native of Mount Pleasant, Ontario, and a resident of this city for twenty-five years. She is survived by a brother in Ontario. The remains are at the Thomson Funeral Home, 1625 Quadra Street, pending funeral arrangements which will be announced later.

CARSON—The remains of William George Carson, who died at Vancouver on April 14, aged sixty-five years, are at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, from which place the funeral will be held this afternoon at 3 o'clock. Rev. J. P. Westman will officiate. Interment will be made in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

CAPITIGLIONE—The funeral of Charlotte Belinda Capitiglione, who died on April 15, will be held from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Rev. H. B. Allen will officiate. Interment will be made at Royal Oak Burial Park.

DALLY—The funeral of Patrick James Dally, who passed away at his home, Kokiale Island, on April 15, took place yesterday afternoon from the Sands Funeral Chapel. Rev. Arthur deB Owen officiated. Relatives and many friends were in attendance. The hymns sung were, "The Sands of Time Are Sinking," and "Nearer, My God, to Thee." Messrs O. McLaughlin, W. Harper, M. Blackstock, C. H. Smith, Stephen Jones and J. R. Saunders were the pallbearers. The remains were laid to rest in Ross Bay Cemetery.

FORD—Many friends attended the funeral of Daniel M. Ford, which took place yesterday afternoon from McCall Brothers' Funeral Home. Rev. F. C. Chapman conducted the service, in which the hymn, "Abide With Me," was sung. Among the many friends attending were a number of comrades of the Canadian Pensioners' Association, who acted as floral bearers. Mrs Chambers represented the Pro Patria branch of the Canadian Legion, and Mrs. Pope for the Veterans of France. Interment was made at Ross Bay Cemetery, with the following as pallbearers: Messrs. M. W. Jamieson and P. Beaven, from the Canadian Pensioners' Association, H. Cameron, M. McDuff, J. Peacock and R. Erskine.

LLOYD—There passed away on Tuesday at St. Joseph's Hospital, Mary Ann Lloyd, aged seventy-six years, at the late John R. Lloyd of 3886 Saanich Road. Mrs. Lloyd was born in England and had lived in the province for eight years. She is mourned by a son in Toronto, a daughter in Saskatchewan, a daughter in San Francisco and two grandsons in Saanich. The remains are at McCall Brothers' Funeral Home. Announcement of the funeral will be made later.

FARM LOAN BOARD

Office Is Opened Here, and Many Applications Await Attention

The British Columbia Farm Loan Board, operating under the provisions of the Dominion Farm Loan Act, has now commenced to function. Offices have been opened by Mr. George Sangster, the provincial superintendent, in the Central Building.

There are a number of applications, a large number in fact, already in hand for loans, which will be dealt with in due course by Mr. Sangster, and the two advisory members of the provincial board, before they are passed on to Ottawa to be approved of by the central body, of which Dr. J. D. MacLean is the commissioner.

There were some 300 applications in hand in the Department of Agriculture before the board was organized here. This has been added to by applications made direct to the chairman, so that about 1,300 applications have already been made.

These applicants will be required to fill in the proper forms, which will be sent them, after which the provincial board will be in a position to pass upon them.

Phillip: "Does your father object to my staying so late?"

Phyllis: "No; he says it serves me right for being in when you call."

City Garden Flowers to Be Featured

The public will have an opportunity of seeing flowers grown in some of the larger gardens of Victoria and Vancouver, at the Spring Flower Show to be held at the Willows by the Vancouver Island Horticultural Society on April 26 and 27.

Arrangements have been made to stage exhibits from some of the outstanding gardens of both the Mainland mainland and the Capital. Both these cities are known all over the continent as the two greatest gardening cities in Canada, and exhibits from their best gardens will be an outstanding feature of the show.

Many things that cannot be seen otherwise will be staged as for instance, the wonderful seedling daffodils from the garden of Dr. Hilton, of Alberni. Some of these seedlings are flowering for the first time this year, which will add greatly to their interest.

English Writer Will Speak Here Friday Evening

Mr Ernest Raymond, who has been attending the sessions of the National Council of Education conference in Vancouver, has accepted the invitation of Major F. J. Ney, the organizing secretary, to return here on Friday, to deliver an address in the Empress Hotel ballroom that evening in aid of the scholarship scheme in connection with the Rummer school in England. Of the six weeks course two weeks would be spent at Stratford-on-Avon, two at Lady Margaret Hall, Oxford, and the fifth and sixth week in London.

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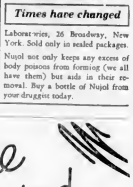

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CONCERT AND SOCIAL

A concert and basket social was held at St. Aidan's Hall New O. Galbraith, D.D., introduced Mr. Hickling, who was responsible for a delightful programme, which was as follows: piano solo, by Miss Irving, violin solo, by Marion Thornborrow; trio, M. Thornborrow, Mr Hickling, 'cello, and Lucy Boward, piano; vocal solo, by M. Thornborrow; piano duet, by M Thornborrow and L. Boward.

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ENTERTAINMENT WILL BE FEATURE ON EVE OF MAY 24 CELEBRATION HERE

Idea Contest Will Remain Open for Another Week, to Secure Suggestions

At an executive meeting of the Junior Chamber of Commerce held last night it was announced that the Victoria School Board was making arrangements for an entertainment to be staged by the school children on the evening of May 24, as part of the Victoria Day celebration. This entertainment will consist, chiefly of choir singing and folk dancing, and those citizens who witnessed a similar performance on the part of the children last year will recollect that it was one of the major attractions of the celebrated period.

Yacht races are again being arranged for by a committee under the chairmanship of John F. Dick, and it is very probable that this year's entries for the race will be even larger than in 1928.

It was decided that the Idea contest, in which any new ideas for celebration attractions may bring the sender an appropriate prize, should be continued for a further week. The junior chamber is receiving many new ideas with every mail delivery, and although some would be rather expensive to carry out successfully, others are looked upon as exceedingly valuable.

The junior chamber last night decided that it would award the concession for the publication of the official programme to Mr. J. North, owing to the satisfactory manner in which he carried out arrangements in this connection last year.

An offer was today received by the junior chamber from the Pacific Sound Newspaper Company, of Seattle, to advertise the Victoria Day celebration extensively over radio KOMO, in the interest of attracting people in other cities to visit Victoria at that time.

The next general meeting of the membership of the Junior Chamber of Commerce will be held on Tuesday, April 23, at 8 o'clock.

Weddings

Frew—Leggett

St. Martin's-in-the-Fields, the George, was the scene of a pretty wedding on April 1, when Gladys Florence, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs W. J. Leggett, 466 Vincent Avenue, was united in marriage to Mr. Jack Frew, eldest son of Mr and Mrs. A. Frew, Uddingston, Lanarkshire, Scotland. Canon Stocken officiating. The bride looked charming in her dress of soft white satin and lace, with bridal veil and orange blossoms arranged in Juliet fashion. She carried an arm bouquet of pink and white carnations, sweet peas, tulips and swainonia. She was attended by Miss Ivy Knight as bridesmaid, who looked very dainty in her dress of pale peach satin and beige tulle, with hat en suite. She carried an arm bouquet of tulips, sweet peas and daffodils in pastel shades. The pretty flower girl was Juanita McClure, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. McClure, in a dress of pale pink crepe de Chine and white tulle. The groom was attended by Mr. G. Leggett as best man. A reception was held afterwards at the parish hall, where a large gathering of friends enjoyed dancing. Mr. and Mrs. Frew afterwards left for a motor trip to Up-Island points.

Metchosin Personals

Mrs. P. T. Hagg entertained with four tables of bridge on Saturday afternoon, with additional guests at the tea hour.

The Bridge Club held its meeting at the home of Mr and Mrs. A. Pennington on Saturday evening with three tables.

Mrs. Jordan left on Monday on an extended visit to her friends in Vancouver.

Queen and Exiled Son

After Separation for More Than Two Years, Queen Marie of Rumania Is Seen Here With Her Exiled Son, Prince Carol, Left, at St. Malo. The Prince Promised His Mother to Keep Out of Rumania.

Gowns for Spring Brides

Conventional White Satin Gives Way to Various Other Materials Which Make Charming Bridal Gowns

For the bride who entertains no prejudice against black in her wedding dress, a gown of distinct elegance is made by Ardanse using white over grey chiffon. With it comes a coat of the lace and a large hat of sheer straw, or a toque of lace. Another exceedingly smart ensemble is made by Yiels of black satin, with bits of the dull side used in geometrical shapes and inserts. The skirt is cut straight, with low hipline and the hem lower at one side. There is a three-quarter-length coat with tailored collar and revers.

In bridal costumes for informal weddings there is also a large assortment. First of all there is the lace dress, shown in many charming models. One lately brought from Paris is of honey beige lace over satin, with skirt finely pleated and sifted in front. The bodice fits loosely, a girdle of satin gives the flat, swathed hipline, and there is a short open jacket of lace.

In another model light beige lace and marquisette are combined, the lace being used as a trimming on the edges of wide, shaped flounces. The bodice of marquisette is unlined. The model has a three-quarters-length coat of the lace, unlined.

Satin and tulle are being successfully combined in some of the formal wedding gowns. One model designed as a dinner gown by Chanel and adapted for a bride's costume is made with a plain bodice of the satin, cut finished with a deep V at the neck. The skirt is composed of a series of narrow panels or satin hanging from the belt, the front panel being but a few inches deep, the four others lengthening toward the back, where the center panel trails into a train. To the lower edge of each panel is gathered a straight width of tulle, making the skirt wide and full. The veil is of tulle.

Apart from satin, another fashionable fabric for the formal wedding gown is moire, which is especially good for a bride of tall, stately figure. The newest weave is a jacquard, a permanent moire having a satin brocade figure. Little or no trimming is used on these fabrics, which are in themselves so decorative.

A particularly effective wedding costume is made of tulle, with crisp ruffles, each finished with silver thread. The skirt lengthens into a train and a garniture of silver flowers is added at one side, trailing toward the back. The cool brilliance of this creation is heightened by a foundation of silver lame, and by the slender thread of silver and crystal which holds the veil.

Jersey in new fine weaves is considered very smart for the more elaborate dresses for trousseau ensembles. One in two shades of beige is quite lovely, and will serve as a suitable "going away" costume.

Stage Star Tells Of Escape From Kidnapper's Car

SANTA MONICA, Cal., April 16—Mary Duncan, stage and screen star, is in a severely nervous condition at a hospital here tonight, following her reported escape from the automobile of an attempted kidnapper. Miss Duncan jumped from the car as it raced between Beverley Hills and Sawtelle, shortly before noon today, after the driver with whom she had accepted a ride had attempted to chloroform her, she told police.

Sarnia Oil Company Approves Stock Split

SARNIA, Ont., April 16.—At a special meeting of the shareholders of the International Petroleum Company today, endorsation was given to a by-law under which each share of preferred stock of par value of five dollars will be converted into two shares of preferred stock of ½ par value at $2.50, and each share of common stock without par value, both issued and outstanding, into two shares of common stock, without nominal or par value.

Announcements

Do not be distressed over the condition of your face, even if disfigured for twenty or thirty years. A complete cure may be achieved if you will only do your part in taking the necessary treatments. Do not delay. Consult Miss Hanman, 620 Sayward Building.

Valentine Harvey-Beaumont Rogers Chapter, I.O.D.E., bridge party, Friday, April 19, at 8 p.m., at home of Miss Thurburn, 950 Heywood Ave. Phone Mrs. Douglas McIY, for table reservations, 50c a pair.

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Ladysmith Socials

Mrs. J. Davis, White Street, had as her guest during the week-end, her sister, Mrs. Martha E. Donnelly, of Havre, Montana. It was twenty years since the sisters had had the pleasure of meeting each other.

Mr. C. O. Van Camp, bridge and building master of the E. & N. Railway, has been transferred to Edmonton, where he will supervise construction work.

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The St. John's Church Parish Hall was the scene of much merriment on Monday evening, the occasion being an entertainment given under the auspices of the Young People's Anglican Association. A very amusing programme had been prepared, consisting of card games, and the instrumental and vocal solos, concluding with a dance, the music being provided by the junior orchestra. The winners of the card games were Mrs. T. E. Lowe, Mrs. D. Patterson and Miss Jessie Mawson.

Brentwood Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Deighbonne have taken up residence at their home on Beach Drive for the Summer.

Mr. W. Turgoose, who has been visiting his parents, Mr and Mrs. F. Turgoose Shawnigan, has returned to Stewart.

Mr and Mrs. H. Bruce spent the week-end at the home of Mr and Mrs. T. Haddon, Clarke Avenue.

Mrs. Russell, of Detroit, is visiting her sister, Mrs Parsell, Benvenuto Avenue.

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City & District

On Visit to City—On a periodical visit to look into Coast progress, Mr. G. W. Goodall, Western representative of The Monetary Times of Canada, is registered at the Empress Hotel.

Returns From Tour—Mr. Ralph C. Rogers has returned here from an extended tour in the United States, including a visit to Washington at the time of the inauguration of President Hoover on March 4.

Clearing House Association — At the annual meeting of the Victoria Clearing House, held on April 9 Mr. G. H. Stevens, of the Royal Bank of Canada, was elected chairman for the coming year, and Mr J. R. Seeley, of the Dominion Bank, vice-chairman. Mr T. H Laundy was re-elected manager and secretary.

Near East Relief—The following donations were received by Mr F Landsberg, local treasurer of the Save the Children and Near East Relief funds for the period, April 1 to 15: R. J. Knight $2; Miss A. Bobel $5; "E" $1; A.K. $2; A. K. Green $5; G. H. Richardson $12; Col. A. W. Jones $2.50; Mrs. M. M Shaw $2. Total $29.50. Further donations will be gratefully acknowledged by Mr Landsberg at 737 Fort Street.

GERMANY WILL BARGAIN FOR BETTER TERMS

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In German circles outside of the German delegation, Dr. Schacht's statements were regarded, however, as intended to show the determination of the German experts to accept no arrangement unless further reductions were made.

BARGAINING TACTICS

The truth was considered tonight to lie between the two interpretations. There are good reasons for believing that the German centre above all to do nothing to prevent a settlement. At the same time it was held that they were bound for their own prestige and for the interest of their country to manoeuvre for the best possible terms.

The chief of the German delegation told the experts this morning that Germany's borrowings abroad since the Dawes plan went into operation exceeded her payments to the Allies, that there was a considerable deficit in the balance of trade to her detriment, and that altogether the annuities proposed by the Allies went beyond Germany's ability to pay without further borrowing.

The other experts asked Dr. Schacht if he were satisfied with the figures furnished in explanation of the Allied demands, and if he had any suggestions to offer as to further discussions. He replied that he would present his own figures tomorrow afternoon.

It is inferred that these figures are in the form of annuities already drawn up by the German delegation and held in reserve for the moment when it would be necessary to lay down a definite proposal.

The bargaining between the various delegations will be in full swing once the German figures are known and it is probable that further negotiations will take the form of private talks for a few days at least.

HELD FOR SMUGGLING

BOSTON, April 16.—George E Watts, seaman, was arrested on a charge of smuggling a dangerous drug when he arrived here in Boston from the Freighter West Nobo from Monrovia, Liberia. According to the freighter's skipper, Captain Christiansen, who requested Watts' arrest, he became slapdiggue when members of his crew began acting strangely. Some were brawling and other articles destroyed when some of the sailors seemed to "go wild," he said. Upon investigation, he found in Watts' possession, he said, sixteen packages of the drug, and placed the seaman in irons, confining him to the forepeak of the vessel and to a diet of bread and water for the balance of the voyage. The drug, native to the Liberian jungles, is known as hyoyamine, and while not narcotic, it is said to be extremely dangerous, causing violent delusions and generally reckless behavior.

CHEMAINUS SMOKER

CHEMAINUS, April 16—A well-attended smoker was held in the Recreation Club on Saturday evening. Much amusement was caused by several juvenile boxing bouts, the youngest participants being nine years of age. Between the bouts solos were rendered by Mr. Dobinson, Mr. J. Adam and Mr. S. Atwater, the latter accompanying himself on the ukulele. These taking part in the boxing included David Murray, Jim Bailey, Clarence Work, August Crystal, Stanley Shilling, Stanley Halberg, Arnold Bonde, Frank Spurling, Stanley Dodd, Andrew Laidlaw, Douglas Mitchell, Bob and Arthur Dwyer. Mr Harry Smith acted as referee throughout.

Mr R. S. Anderson, who presided over the prohibition meeting at Metropolitan Church on Monday evening, is president of the prohibition organisation here, and not of the Social Service League, as suggested in the report of yesterday.

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New England Farmers Grow Fewer Potatoes

BOSTON, April 16—A decrease of 10 per cent throughout the nation and a decrease of 5.4 in New England in acreage to be devoted to potatoes is indicated in reports of farmers' planting intentions, according to the New England crop reporting service of the Department of Agriculture. Vermont, with a 2 per cent increase, is the only New England state in which the farmers have not indicated an intention of decreasing their potato acreage this year.

The crop reporting service points out that weather and other conditions may so the planting season approaches cause the farmers to plant more or less acreage than indicated in planting intentions filed with the department.

The reduction, as indicated, would place New England's potato acreage for the coming crop at 226,000 acres, as compared to 239,000 last year. The nation's acreage would be 3,118,000 as compared with 3,620,000 last year.

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DIPLOMATS' LIQUOR DELAYED

BOSTON, April 16.—While parched diplomats palace waited impatiently, the British steamship Maryland was delayed here by bad weather. The vessel included in her cargo a large quantity of wines and liquors consigned to the diplomatic corps at Washington. The delay caused several diplomats to make inquiries, fearful that their supply of "evil doogs" had gone astray, or been commandeered in a prohibition jangle.

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Missionary Society

The regular monthly meeting of the W.M.S. of the First United Church, was held on Monday afternoon in the church, the devotional part of the service being conducted by Mrs Dill's circle. Reports from the various secretaries were read and approved. Mrs. Calvert, the minute woman, read some encouraging tributes paid to the missionary work by people not really taking an active part in religious work. Mrs. J. W. Gibson gave a splendid talk on the fourth chapter of the study book, "Drums in the Darkness." Mrs. McKillup also gave a brief talk on "Christian Stewardship." The treasurer reported that $96 had been collected at the Easter thankoffering. The Ladies' Guild were the guests of the society, the occasion being a farewell to Mrs. J. G. G. Bompass, who is shortly to leave for the Orient. Mrs. (Capt.) Gould, on behalf of both societies, presented Mrs. Bompass with a bar pin and a purse of gold. Baby Gladys Bompas came in for her share when she was presented with a life membership by the Mission Band. This had previously been presented to her on Easter Sunday, in the Sunday school. Mrs. Bompas thanked the ladies for their kindness to the baby and herself. A delightful programme was rendered by the children of the Oriental home and also the Mission Band of the Church, Miss Cronhite and Miss Moffat assisting the Oriental children, and Mrs Naysmith the Mission Band. Mrs. W. M. Wright gave a solo which was very much appreciated. Refreshments were served under the convenership of Mrs. J. H. Schroeder.

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Nanaimo Local Council

A representative gathering of affiliated societies of Nanaimo Local Council of Women held its regular meeting yesterday afternoon in the Canadian Legion Hall. Rev. W. P. Anderson, pastor of the First United Church, St. Andrew's, gave an eloquent and inspiring address on "Citizenship." At the conclusion of his speech the speaker was given a hearty vote of thanks, moved by Mrs. Drysdale and seconded by Mrs. J. McMinn. The speaker was introduced by Mr. W. W. Lewis, chairman of the citizenship committee of the council. The business session of the council was somewhat brief. Dues from the Hospital Auxiliary, Canadian Red Cross Society and Women's Christian Temperance Union were received. Arrangements were completed for the musicale to be held at the home of Mrs. C. H. Barker on Wednesday, May 1. A leter of condolence was ordered sent to the relatives of the late Mrs. Caspell, formerly president of Vancouver Local Council of Women. The president gave notice of motion that a resolution would be presented asking for a change to the constitution of Nanaimo Local Council of Women, which will debar any member from being elected to the office of president more than twice. Rev. P. R. Kelly and Mrs. Kelly, with Mrs. J. E. McKenzie as accompanist, furnished in duet, two delightful musical selections, for which a hearty vote of thanks was recorded.

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Porter Chapter, I.O.D.E.

On Friday evening the seventh anniversary of the forming of the Porter Chapter, I.O.D.E., was celebrated by a most enjoyable party, the affair being held in the schoolhouse at Saltair. The early part of the entertainment was spent in playing court whist, twelve tables being in play. Prize winners were: First, Miss Lilian Porter, Mr. McKay; second, Mrs. William Wyllie, Mr. Mather; consolation, Mrs. Newcombe and Mrs. Pritchard. Refreshments were served by Mrs. W. W. Southin and Mrs. Gregson. A short musical programme was much enjoyed, those rendering solos being Mr. J. Adam, Miss E. Payne, Mr. Craig and Mr. J. Stephenson, while Miss Yearly contributed a recitation. Dancing followed, Mrs. R. Jarret and Mr. William Allister providing delightful dance music. Mrs. W. W. Southin and Mrs. Gregson, who were instrumental in getting up the party, were unfortunately unable to be present owing to illness.

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Shawnigan Lake United W.A.

On Friday, April 12, the Women's Association of the Shawnigan Lake United Church held its monthly meeting in the home of Mrs. G. Gibson. There were seven members present, also Rev. E. Baker, pastor of the church, and Mrs. Baker, who is a member of the association. The meeting was presided over by Mrs. Medland, the president. Further plans were discussed in regard to a Summer sale of work to be held in June. After the business discussion, a very pleasant social time was enjoyed, when tea was served by the hostess, Mrs. Gibson. Decision was made to hold the next meeting at the home of Mrs. C. Abbott, who very kindly extended an invitation to the members and friends of the association.

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Kumtuks Club

The Kumtuks Club held its fortnightly dinner at the Y.W.C.A. on Monday evening. A business meeting immediately followed. Plans for the entertainment of neighboring clubs on May 25 and 26 were discussed. It was decided to hold the banquet, as usual, at the Empress Hotel on May 25. A special business meeting is called for Monday evening, April 22, at 8 o'clock at the "Y" to complete arrangements. One new member, Miss Elsie B. Richards, was elected.

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St. John's (Colwood) W.A.

At the recent meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary to St. John's Church held in the Colwood Hall arrangements were made to hold a "cleaning bee" in the church on Friday, May 10. Mrs. G. A. Turner very kindly offered her home, "Lagoona," for a silver tea to be held in May. At the close of the business meeting afternoon tea was served by Mrs. T. Millburn and Mrs. J. W. Little.

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Mayne W. A.

The monthly meeting of the W. A. was held last Thursday at the home of Mrs. Houlgate. Members present included Mesdames West, Maude, Geo. Maude, Rawlings, Foster, Jones, Vigurs, Coates and Houlgate. Arrangements are to be made to provide an entertainment some time in May. Mrs. Coates was appointed the convener.

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Get-Together Circle

The Get-Together Circle of the Women's Auxiliary of the United Church, Duncan, has decided on Friday, April 26 for the presentation of a sketch, "The Old-Time Singing School," for which they have been rehearsing several weeks. Mr. Wilfred Kelly will take the part of Professor Bragg. Costumes and songs will be of "long ago" times.

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Women Conservatives

The Victoria Women's Conservative Association held its regular meeting on Monday evening. Several new members were received and general routine business transacted. The speaker of the evening was Mr. H. Despard Twigg, M.P.P., who gave an address on "Old Age Pensions."

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New Thought Guild

The Ladies' Club of the New Thought Temple will hold a dance in the Temple Hall, North Park Street, tomorrow. A good orchestra will provide the music and refreshments will be served.

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St. Alban's Guild

St. Alban's Ladies' Guild will hold a whist drive tonight at 8 o'clock, in the Church Hall, Belmont and Ryan. There will be good prizes given and refreshments will be served.

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Metchosin W. A.

The meeting of the Women's Auxiliary, which was to have been held at the home of Mrs. H. O. Pierce, will be held at the Vicarage instead, on Thursday, April 25.

Uncle: "I suppose you and Robert are putting away something for a rainy day."

Married niece (brightly): "Oh, rather! We're saving up hard for a closed-in car."

Yokes Vary Skirts and Coat Backs

Left to right—Contrast introduced in the coat collar. Powder blue tweed in the princess line. Lelong's sports suit of crimson jersey.

SUNDRY formations of the yoke, determined by nicely seamed lines, encrusted bands, shoulder effects and the pointed or diagonal detail with which we have become very familiar, diversify couturier coats of sports and afternoon character.

Several models in coats and jacket frocks that are now shown on the Avenue have pointed yokes formed by a contrasting material attached in a V neckline and often ending in a tie front.

This is one phase of the contrast theme which the short woman finds rather difficult to wear since it has a tendency to shorten the neck.

An interesting coat of kasha, drawn in back view, shows this method of introducing a bright contrasting touch and also indicates a manner of seaming used to define shoulder yoke lines.

Collarless sports ensembles with finger-length jackets due to diversity of treatment, consistently gain in interest.

Lelong's jacket and skirt sports suit of crimson jersey, illustrated in side back view, exemplifies the effectiveness of seaming to create novelty in the cardigan style of jacket. Here seaming suggests a shoulder yoke extending in a unique crossing of the diagonal lines which swing to the front and repeat the same idea.

Tailored sleeves slightly slit at the wrist, a narrow belt with an unusual silver buckle, and a white knitted sweater interwoven with red and black are smart points.

The skirt yoke in this powder blue tweed frock from Nicole Groult is by no means its most promising detail, yet it is so important as to be outlined with buttons.

In this case the princess line extends to the hips and the skirt is joined to the blouse in this way. Here is a clear example of the modern method of incorporating a quantity of fabric in the skirt.

Although Canadian women are not especially enthusiastic over the extreme princess silhouette, they are amenable to the raised waistline. In this frock the princess line rather moulds the waist and the belt places it very definitely at almost the normal position.

Starched white linen banded with blue and black for collar and cuffs add a fresh lingerie note.

LAKE HILL PARTY

An enjoyable card game was held in the Lake Hill Community Hall on Monday evening under the auspices of the centre. There were twelve tables in play and prizes were won as follows: First table, Mrs. Buckley, Mrs. Simpson, Mr. Gray and Mr. Quayle; second table, Mrs. Peddie, Mrs. Ferrier, Mr. Barlow and Mr. Harris; ten bid, Mrs. Pulton and Mr. Campion; consolation, Mrs. Holdcroft, Mrs. Barclay, Mr. Mitchell and Mr. Steele. The next game will be on Monday, April 22, commencing at 8.30 o'clock.

Mission Circle

Under the auspices of the Women's Mission Circle, of Emmanuel Baptist Church, a joint meeting of that organization and the B.Y.P.U. was held on Monday evening, when Mr. D. L. MacLaurin gave a splendid review of Katherine Mayo's book, "Mother India."

The speaker gave his address under the following headings: The authoress, the source, the book itself, the purpose of the book and criticisms of the book.

Mrs. W. Templeton gave two solos in a pleasing manner. Mrs. A. H. Marrion and Mrs. George Anstey moved a vote of thanks to the speaker and to the soloist.

Women's Institutes of Vancouver Island

WEST SAANICH

The monthly meeting of the West Saanich Women's Institute was held on Tuesday afternoon with a good attendance. The president was in the chair, and the minutes and correspondence were read by the secretary. Among the correspondence was a letter from the Social Service League asking for assistance for their mothers' camp at Sooke. The institute decided to give $10 towards this cause. A card party in aid of the school playshed fund was planned for Wednesday evening, April 24. The members will be glad to receive donations in the way of prizes, etc., for this event. The cabaret which the institute has been arranging will be held in the Institute Hall this evening, when a good programme will be given. At the close of the meeting tea was served by the hostesses, Mrs. Guy and Mrs. Haddon.

A.O.U.W. DANCE

The monthly dance under the auspices of the A.O.U.W. will be held on Thursday in the K. of C. Hall, Government Street. A good orchestra has been engaged, and a good time assured all who attend. Dancing will be from 9 to 12 o'clock.

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Dance at Yacht Club

The following were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chester G. Staples at a dance given at the Royal Victoria Yacht Club on Monday evening: His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Miss Mackenzie, Commander and Mrs L. W. Murray, Engineer Commander and Mrs. D. M. Curry, Brig.-Gen. and Mrs Sutherland Brown, the Chief Justice and Mrs J. A. Macdonald, Colonel and Mrs A. E. Harris, Colonel and Mrs. F. Gilman, General Money (Qualicum), Captain H. Molson, Major and Mrs. P. Hennessey, Major and Mrs. Gibson, Major and Mrs G. D. Edwards, Colonel Anderson, Lieutenant-Commander and Mrs. C. R. H. Taylor, Lieutenant-Commander and Mrs. R. W. Wood, Major and Mrs. Hugh Niven, Captain and Mrs W. G. Colquhoun, Mrs. Homer Dixon, Miss Homer Dixon, Captain and Mrs. W. Thackray, Miss Thackray, Mrs. Burgess, Mr Godfrey Foulkes, Mr and Mrs. K. C. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Squire, Mr and Mrs. R. W. Gibson and the Misses Gibson, Mr. and Mrs. B. Heisterman, Mr. and Mrs. T. Gore, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Goward, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. E. Todd, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Leeming, the Misses Leeming, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Sampson, Mr. and Mrs. R. Guthrie, Captain and Mrs. W. Bell, Mrs. Hopgood (Vancouver), Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Templeton, Mr and Mrs Laundy, Mr and Mrs. J. K. Unsworth, Mr. and Mrs. W. McIntosh, Dr. and Mrs. T. McPherson, Dr and Mrs J. N. Taylor, Dr. and Mrs. Douglas Hunter, Dr. and Mrs. Mitchell, Dr. and Mrs J. W. Lennox, Dr and Mrs. J. S. McCallum, Dr J. Stewart, Dr Arthur Nash, Mr and Mrs. Alexis Martin, Mr and Mrs B. Acland, Mr. and Mrs. Baker, Mr and Mrs G. C. Howell, Mr and Mrs. Williams, Mr and Mrs. Herbert Wilson, Captain and Mrs W. Merston, Miss Marion Wilson, Mr Dick Wilson, Miss Helen Wilson, Miss Nora Wilson, Miss Marjorie Oates, Miss Joan Hutchinson, Captain and Mrs Dexter, Colonel and Mrs W. H. Holmes, Mr and Mrs. C. A. Birnie, Mr. and Mrs. H. Bates, Mr and Mrs Brock, Commander Slingsby, Mr. and Mrs. Grigg, Mr. and Mrs. A. Watson, Mr. and Mrs. A. Pope, Mr. and Mrs. H. Lawson, Mrs. A. Cree, Mr Douglas Cree, Major and Mrs E. Rowden, Mrs. E. Howden, Mr and Mrs Ralph Zeigler, Mrs. V. Montgomery (Vancouver), Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Macdonald (Vancouver), Mr. and Mrs. Murray Lay (Vancouver), Mr. and Mrs. Knox Walkem (Vancouver), Mr and Mrs Crowe, Mrs Wallace Watson, Mrs. Humphrey Baynes, Mrs. Norman Payne, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Bolton, Mr and Mrs. Kenneth Raymur, Mr and Mrs. C. P. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Stevens, Mr and Mrs. Russell Ker, Mr. and Mrs. C. Wilson, Mr. Eric Burton, Mr. Jack Matson, Major Gus Lyons, Captain Diespecker, Mr Rounds, Mr. A. Beasley, Captain Matterson, Mr. Norman Fell, Mr. E. Ash, Mr. Ian Simpson, Mr T. Lampman, Mr. A. Pitts, Mr. Matier, Captain Black, Lieutenant W. Holms, Lieutenant Barnes, Lieutenant Adams and Captain Macdonald.

Bridge Party Given

Mrs. E. T. W. Pearse and her daughter, Mrs. Young, entertained yesterday afternoon at their home on Wildwood Avenue with six tables of bridge. The tea table, arranged with daffodils and silver candelabra, was presided over by Mrs. E. M. Pearse and Mrs. F. D. Campbell. The guests included Mrs. Arthur Nixon, Mrs David Doig, Mrs Thornton Marshall, Mrs Arthur Walsh, Mrs. E. H. King, Mrs. G. P. Player, Mrs G. A. Phillips, Mrs. G. H. S. Edwards, Mrs. R. G. Freeman, Mrs. W. Downes, Mrs Bennett-Thompson, Mrs. R. Jamieson, Mrs C. Scott Whiting, Mrs. H. A. Maclean, Mrs. T. F. Patterson, Mrs. H. Mashiter Edwards, Mrs. Monteith, Miss Checkley, Miss Cox, the Misses Hall.

Children's Party

Mrs. L. deS. Duke entertained with a jolly children's party on Monday afternoon on the occasion of the fifth birthday of her small son, Peter. The little guests included Molly and Sandy McCallum, Cicely, Elizabeth, Desmond and Philip Holmes, Gordon Holland, Andrew Gillespie, Mary Robertson, Mwyndeg McFadyen and Rosemary Bridgman. Mothers of the children and older guests were invited later to tea.

Presentation Made

As a token of appreciation of his efforts in organizing and leading the Fairfield Festival Chorus, Major W. H. Watts was presented with a handsome traveling bag and purse of gold by the choir members on Monday evening. Miss Josephine Charlebois made the presentation on behalf of the members, following the final rehearsal preceding the Musical Festival.

To Leave for Mainland

Mrs. Rolf Bruhn, wife of the President of the Council in the Provincial Government, who has been ill for a long time, is able to leave the hospital, and is preparing to leave for the Mainland, where she will convalesce. Mr. Bruhn was in the city for a few days attending meetings of the Provincial Executive.

At Beach Hotel

The following are staying at the Beach Hotel: Miss Gladys Bulger, Shanghai, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hutchings and Mrs. B. J. Hutchings, Calgary, Miss Mabel Donley, Seattle, Mrs. G. U. A. Chowns and son, and Mr J. C. Burgess, Vancouver, Mrs Prescott Cookingham, Mrs. Ralph Matson and Mrs. Lee Schlesinger, all of Portland.

Back From Trip

Mrs V. S. McLachlan and Mrs. J. D. Gordon have returned from Courtenay, V.I., where they organized a new women's institute. They report keen interest in the movement in that district. The following directors were appointed: Mrs. Galloway, Mrs. J. Thompson, Mrs. G. Carwithen, Mrs. McPhee and Mrs. Carroll.

Ill in Seattle

Mr J. Cleveland Kaas, mining engineer of Seattle, who has been operating in British Columbia for the past thirty-five years, is seriously ill, according to word received from Seattle today. Mr. Kaas was a pioneer of Rossland and the Boundary country, and one of the first mining engineers in the Kootenays.

At Y.W.C.A.

Guests at the Y.W.C.A. include Miss Bergman and Miss Pearson, of Port Alberni; Miss Bridgewater, Y.W.C.A., Vancouver; Mrs. Grace Smith, Miss Mildred Clark, Miss Jean Stewart, Vancouver, Miss Barton, Fernie, Miss Annie P. Wheeler, Edmonton, Miss M. B. Fulton, England, and Miss P. Macdonell, Ladysmith.

Recovering From Operation

Mr Ronald Fenwick-Smith, of Vancouver, who met with a serious accident two and a half years ago, has just undergone an operation, and after a very critical two weeks is reported to be slowly improving. Word to this effect was received this morning by his uncle, Mr Randolph Stuart.

Party for Visitor

In honor of Mrs Piper, of Shanghai, who is visiting her parents, Mr and Mrs F. W. Dawson, Seacroft Apartments, Mrs Eustace Saville entertained yesterday afternoon at the Waldron with two tables of bridge, additional guests arriving later for tea.

At Beresford Place

Mrs. D. S. Holden, who has been living in the Ambassador Apartments, is visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr and Mrs. D. L. Gillespie, at Beresford Place, Esquimalt.

From Prince Rupert

Mr and Mrs W. W. Wright, of Prince Rupert, are visiting in the city.

Party at Barracks

Mrs Sutherland Brown entertained with three tables of bridge yesterday afternoon at her home at Work Point Barracks, and received additional guests at the tea hour.

To Spend Holiday

Miss Ruth Stuart, of Kelowna, a student at the University of British Columbia, is expected here this week to spend her holidays with friends.

Leaves for Quebec

Miss Doris Jack who has been visiting Dr and Mrs Russell Robertson for the past month, left on Saturday for her home in Quebec.

Calgary Visitor

Miss Jacqueline Bulger, of Calgary, who has been spending the Winter in California, is a visitor to Victoria on her way to Alberta.

To Live in Vancouver

Miss V. Novis left on Sunday afternoon to reside in Vancouver with her sister, Mrs. F. Sherman-Anderson.

Returns to Duncan

Miss Marjorie Alexander, who has been visiting friends at Parksville for the past week, has returned to her home at Duncan.

Visiting Here

Mrs Harold Hudson, of Vancouver, and her baby daughter are visiting Mr. and Dr A. B. Hudson, Beach Drive.

Leaves for Seattle

Miss Merle North has left for Seattle for a few days to fulfill a concert engagement.

At Forest Inn

Mr and Mrs A. T. Goward are staying at the Forest Inn, Shawnigan Lake.

Optimist Club Party

The Colwood Optimist Club members spent an enjoyable evening at the home of Mrs. E. Sheilds on Saturday last, when games and contests were enjoyed.

Prizes for an expression contest were presented to Miss C. Godfrey for the highest points made, and to Miss J. Murray, the consolation prize.

For guessing the names of songs, Miss Adrea Murray won the first prize, and Mr. J. Southwell received the consolation prize. Refreshments were served by Mrs. E. Sheilds assisted by Mrs J. Goodall and her little daughter, Kathleen.

Happy Scottish Girls Arrive in Canada

TRAINS from the East brought in fresh groups of immigrants, part of the 4,000 migration from Europe, constituting the largest shipment of immigrants this year. The layout here shows some of the cheerful faces among the arrivals, who as a whole were enthusiastic about their prospects in the land of their adoption. 1, 2, 3 and 4 are Glasgow girls bound for Regina, where they will go into service. The first two are Miss N. Pryor and Miss Ida Hill, while the fourth is Miss Kathleen Macdonald; (5) are two nurses who will take up domestic service in Canada.

Fashion Fancies

By Marie Belmont

If you can achieve harmony in your costume without sacrificing that careless air so necessary to chic, you won't be criticised. The smart woman, nowadays, builds her ensemble so that it won't look too carefully and stiltedly matched.

For example: Here is a charming lounging suit in silk crepe with black trousers, yoked and flared at the ankles. The blouse is chartreuse. The average woman would wear a chartreuse or black coat—the smart woman chooses a bright printed coat that carries both chartreuse and black, with perhaps a touch of yellow.

Kitty McKay

By NINA WILCOX PUTNAM

The girl friend says April showers bring May colds in the head.

Deep Cove Personal

Mr. H. Sorby paid a short visit to the Cove, the guest of his brother-in-law Mr G. Edwards, before leaving for his home at Rice Lake, Ontario.

Miss Gilbert is making an extended stay at her Summer cottage at Deep Cove.

Mrs. Stuart and Miss Unwin spent the week-end at Mrs. Stuart's cottage.

Mrs. Quartermaine returned to her home after a visit with Mr and Mrs. B. C. Gale on the Old West Road, Saanich.

Miss Hicks is spending a month visiting friends.

Miss A. Coleman returned to Vancouver after spending the vacation at their Summer home.

Mr Bourne has returned to Victoria, after a stay at his Summer cottage, "Tuckway."

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Brown and family, of Victoria, are spending the week-end at their Summer Cottage at Ardmore.

Mrs. Munford and Mr. Pat Munford have returned to their home, "Lyonesse," after spending the Winter in Vancouver.

Mr. and Miss Dean, of Victoria, were among the week-end visitors at the Cove.

Mr F. H. Mitchell left last Sunday for Los Angeles. Mr. and Mrs Mitchell are returning in May, when they will take up their residence at their new home.

Mrs. Wilson and family, of Victoria, spent the week-end at the waterfront.

James Island Socials

Mrs. Stoddard and her daughters, the Misses Isabel and Betty Stoddard, of Victoria, were the guests on Sunday of Mr and Mrs. J. W. Van Norman.

Mrs. W. J. Milstead has returned from St. Joseph's Hospital, Victoria.

Mrs. Harold Park is spending a holiday with her mother, Mrs Young, of Nanaimo, and later is going to Vancouver.

Miss Lillian Martin is spending a holiday in Vancouver.

Miss Fernie Tucker, of Victoria, was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Milstead.

At the progressive bridge played at the Moore Club on Friday evening the prizes were won by Mrs. W. Rivers, Mr G. M. Richards, Miss Nell Hanna and Mr. E. L. Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. McNaughton and their daughters, the Misses Dorothy and Audrey McNaughton, have returned home from their motoring tour to Los Angeles and Mexico.

Cowichan Personals

Lieutenant-Colonel C. E. Collard, C.B., and Mrs. Collard, have returned from several months' visit to England.

The Misses M and G. M. Considine, who have been visiting in Duncan, have returned to England.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Creagh, of Vancouver, spent a few days at Cowichan Station last week.

Mrs Porteous has returned to Cowichan after spending a few days in Victoria.

Miss Violet Kingscote, after spending a few days in Cowichan, has returned to her home in Vancouver.

Mrs. J. E. Spencer, of 1050 Monterey Avenue, Victoria, is visiting in Vancouver.

Mr J. C. M. Johns, of Colquitz, spent a few days at his home in Cowichan last week.

Mr and Mrs L. Morgan, who have been living in England since their marriage last year, have returned to Cowichan.

Shawnigan Personals

Miss E. Simpson, Victoria, and Miss M. Paton, Vancouver, spent a week's holiday recently at Pen-y-wern Lodge.

Mr Eric H. J. Walker, who has been living in Shawnigan for the past year and a half, left for his home at East Sooke on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Dix and family, Mr. Brown, New Westminster, and Mr J. Peters, Victoria, are at present the guests of Mrs. A. Reggie, at Pen-y-wern Lodge.

Mr A. M. Furlonge and Miss P. Furlonge were recently at their home, Malahat Lodge, for a few days.

Mayne Island Personal

Dr and Mrs F. C. Bell, of Vancouver, and family, are guests at Grandview Lodge. Dr Bell is recuperating after an operation. Their infant son was christened during the Sunday evening service by Rev S. S. Holmes in the Church of St Mary and Magdalene at Mayne.

Sooke Personals

Mrs. S. Lundie, with Mrs. C. Richardson, attended the W.M.S. Conference, held in Vancouver recently, and have returned home.

Mrs F. A. Butler is visiting in Victoria for a few days.

Mrs. Hemberow and daughter, with Master Allan Felton, were guests over the week-end at "Ty Colwyn Place."

Mr and Mrs. Jensen (nee Miss M. King), have moved from Saseenos, and have taken residence in the cottage of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Murray.

Miss F. Muir spent the week-end with her mother, who has returned to her home, having spent the Winter in Victoria.

Mrs. Harold Page has returned home with her infant son.

Chemainus Personals

Mrs. J. Stewart has returned to her home in Victoria after spending some days in Chemainus with Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Stewart.

Mr L. G. Hill is at present in Victoria, where he is a patient in the Jubilee Hospital.

Mrs. L. G. Hill and Mrs Colin McInnis left on Sunday for Victoria.

Miss Enid Fraser is in Vancouver with friends for a few days.

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ANNUAL CHILDREN'S EVENT WILL BE HELD AT COLWOOD

Varied Programme Arranged Under Auspices of Esquimalt Nursing Service for May Day

COLWOOD, April 16.—Arrangements are practically complete for the third annual "Child Health Day" celebration to be held in the Colwood Hall on Wednesday, May 1, under the auspices of the Esquimalt Rural Nursing Service.

Essays will be written on "What Sunlight Will Do for Me" by pupils from Albert Head, Luxton and Happy Valley, Langford and Colwood, a prize for which will be given. The judge will be Miss M Hodge, superintendent of the Junior Red Cross of British Columbia.

Health posters will be on exhibition in the hall. The judge will be Mr. J. W. Gibson, of the Department of Education.

A five-dollar cash prize has been offered by Miss H. G. Kelly for a limerick of fifteen words for the best health idea. Health exercises and drills will be presented by the pupils in the different schools, also the Maypole dance, under the direction of the respective teachers.

An excellent sports programme has been arranged, Mr. J. T. Bruce, principal of Colwood School, being in charge. The trophies for the highest aggregate points during the afternoon sports are the Vanderbilt Boys' Silver Cup, Mrs. H. Pendray Girls' Silver Cup, and the Dola Dunsmuir Challenge Trophy for the highest aggregate points for health posters done by pupils.

An evening meeting will be held in the hall, announcement of which will be made later.

From all points of the district covered by the Esquimalt Rural Nursing Service, the co-operation and enthusiasm has been most marked, and there is every indication of the Child Health Day being a great success.

Donations are being received, including one from the Hon. R. H Pooley, Attorney-General, who hopes to be present at the evening meeting.

Young People Hear Address on Work of Missions in China

DUNCAN, April 16.—Twenty members were present at the regular meeting of the Young People's League at the United Church on Monday evening. Rev. W. F. Burns gave an instructive talk on United Church mission work in Honan and Northern China. Miss Nancy McEwan sang a solo, "Softly and Tenderly Jesus Is Calling," which was much enjoyed.

CRICKET CLUB TO BE GRANTED AID

Nanaimo City Gives Financial Assistance—Dates Received of H.M.S. Colombo's Visit

NANAIMO, April 16.—A letter was received last evening at the city council meeting from M. C. Ironside, secretary of the Nanaimo Board of Trade, stating that a resolution had been passed by the board to ask the council for a grant of $100 to be used by the board for publicity. Alderman Ironside moved that the request of the board be referred to the finance committee for their favorable consideration. Alderman Dixon seconded, and the motion carried.

A letter was received from the captain of H.M.S. Colombo, stating that the ship would be in Nanaimo Harbor from June 6 to Monday, June 10. On motion of Alderman Barsby, seconded by Alderman Hart, the letter referred to the council sitting in committee, when plans for the entertainment of the officers and men while here will be discussed.

Medical Health Officer Drysdale reported that the situation as regards mumps in the city was greatly improved and only three cases of scarlet fever are in the city at present.

Alderman Ironside, chairman of the finance committee, reported that the matter of the Cricket Club's application for financial assistance having been referred to the finance committee, they had decided to grant the sum of $25 to the club.

Premier May Attend Pioneers' Reunion In Saanichton Hall

SAANICHTON, April 16.—It is expected that Premier Tolmie will attend the Saanich Pioneers' reunion and supper, which is to be held in the Agricultural Hall on Friday evening, May 3. The supper will be followed by an old-time dance, and tickets for the affair can be obtained from Messrs. T Lidgate, G. Michell and Alex McDonald, of North Saanich, and Messrs. L. C. Hagan, R. E. Nimmo and W. Michell, of South Saanich.

POSTPONE FLOWER SHOW

ROYAL OAK, April 16.—Owing to the backward Spring, the committee in charge of Royal Oak Spring Flower Show has decided to postpone it to a later date, announcement of which will be made shortly.

Bobby, sent by his mother with a message to a lady down the street, got the wording of it mixed up a bit. "Mother declines with pleasure your invitation for next Thursday," he said, "and thanks you extremely for having given her the pleasure of doing so."

Wife: "What! You're bathing your feet with your socks on?"

Husband: "I've got to—the water's so cold."

VETERANS HOLD ANNUAL DINNER

PLUMPER'S PASS BRANCH OF LEGION CELEBRATES VIMY DAY

Colonel Peck, V.C., Deprecates Attempt to Eliminate War History From Curriculum of Schools

MAYNE, April 16.—The Plumper's Pass' Branch of the Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., held its annual dinner on April 9 (Vimy Day) at Grandview Lodge, Mayne, B.C., when a most interesting and enjoyable evening was spent. The Islands of Gossip, Saturna, Pender, Mayne and Galiano were all well represented at this reunion. The principal guest was Colonel Peck, V.C., M.P.P., and Mr. Gavin Mouat represented the Salt Spring Island Branch of the Legion.

After the customary silence in memory of fallen comrades had been observed, the president, Captain A. B. Gurney, proposed "The King." Responding to the toast of the "United Services," proposed by Mr. Clague, Captain Anderson, R.N., gave an interesting account of his thirty years' career in H.M. Navy and assured his hearers that the navy was still able to guarantee complete security and, incidentally, men might still sleep peacefully in their beds. He emphasized the enormously increasing armaments of the more modern warships.

Captain Denroche, of Gossip Island, in a characteristic short speech, sparkling with his native Irish humor, responded for the Army.

COLONEL PECK SPEAKS

In reply to the toast of "Our Guest," proposed by Mr. Elverson, Colonel Peck, V.C., who was accorded an enthusiastic reception and musical honors, spoke of the objects of the Legion and of the obligation upon its members to look after and succor their disabled comrades and the widows of families of those who had made the supreme sacrifice. The glorious traditions of the past must be kept alive in the rising generations. Colonel Peck referred to an organized movement which had for its object the suppression of any teaching of the history of the war from the curriculum of the schools. He emphasized the fact that, with all its great evils, war yet calls forth much that is best in human nature and that children have a right to know of the great and stirring records of wonderful sacrifice and endurance performed by their countrymen during the terrible years of 1914 to 1918. He felt that those who know and had endured the actual experience, would be the last to encourage the war spirit in the youth of the nation.

The toast of the "Canadian Legion" was proposed by Mr. Miller Higgs, and Major Boyer responded in happy vein.

Numerous songs and recitations contributed to a very happy time, and then the president, Captain A. B. Gurney, addressed the gathering and referred to the great pleasure it had been to welcome so many members at this reunion.

BRANCH CONGRATULATED

He congratulated the branch upon its healthy growth, and emphasized the objects of the league—loyalty, justice and fair play to all. The president read a telegram from the executive of the British Columbia command of the Legion, expressing regret that it could not be represented, but sending its sincere good wishes to all the members present.

Mr. Scott expressed an appreciation of the great interest and work of the president, and proposed a toast which was given with musical honors. Mr. Clague, in a short but inspiring speech, referred to this, the twelfth anniversary of Vimy Ridge, one of the great Canadian milestones in the war.

The singing of "Auld Lang Syne," followed by "God Save the King," at midnight, terminated a very enjoyable evening.

SAANICH FACES SCHOOL PROBLEM

School Board Conditionally Accepts Offer of City to Accommodate Pupils at High School

In the absence of Trustee F. V. Hobbs, to whom the Saanich Board of School Trustees sent a message of condolence upon his being unable to attend through illness, Trustee W. P. Jeune took the chair when the board met last night at the Municipal Hall, Royal Oak. Trustee Brooks was also absent, having other affairs which claimed his attention.

A letter was read from the city board of trustees. This quoted a resolution passed by that body on March 24, and undertook that the city board would, in so far as lay within its power, provide accommodation at the Victoria High School for Grades X and XI Saanich pupils for the coming school year. The cost of such service was fixed by the city board at $120 per pupil for the ensuing year.

Trustee Pyvie, seconded by Trustee Jeune, moved that, provided the city school board definitely undertook to look after the grades mentioned, the offer should be accepted. The motion was carried unanimously.

Arising out of a communication from the Saanich ratepayers of Ward Four, which asked that a copy of the minutes of the meetings of the school board should be sent them, in order that they might arrive at more authoritative information, Trustee Pyvie moved that a letter be sent to the association advising it that the meetings of the school board were open to all, but that under no circumstances would minutes be broadcast.

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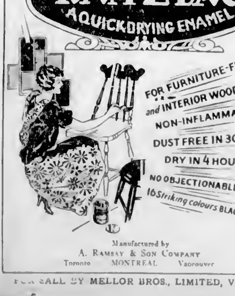

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Shamrock Brand Side Bacon, per lb.	51¢
Shamrock Brand Hams, half or whole, per lb.	36¢
Seal of Quality Peameal Back Bacon, per lb.	46¢
Machine Sliced Ayrshire Roll, per lb.	36¢
Selected Smoked Picnic Hams, per lb.	24¢
Mild Quality Cheese, lb.	32¢
Kraft Pimento Cheese, lb.	50¢
Sliced Baked Ham, per lb.	65¢
Sliced Roast Pork, per lb.	75¢
Sliced Jellied Ham, per lb.	30¢
Sliced Ham Bologna, lb.	30¢
Sliced Corned Beef, per lb.	30¢
Heinz Sweet Mustard Pickles, per pint	40¢
Horseshoe Brand Sockeye Salmon, flat tin	23¢
North Sea Brand Crab Meat, small tin	22¢

—Lower Main Floor, HBC

Half-Day Specials in Fresh Meats

Beef Liver, per lb.	20¢
Pork Liver, per lb.	15¢
Lambs' Liver, per lb.	30¢
Beef and Lambs' Hearts, per lb.	15¢
Beef Tripe, 2 lbs. for	25¢
Ox Tails, each	35¢
Pickled Pork Hocks, pair	10¢
Corned Briskets, per lb.	15¢
Pot Roast, per lb.	20¢
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For half day special selling we are offering 50 pairs of Men's Odd Trousers, in blue serge, herringbone and fancy weaves.

Values to $2.95 for $2.45

Suits at $19.50, $29.50, $39.50 and $49.50

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BITUMEN TENDERS

Three Firms Bid on Material for Surfacing Treatment of Public Roads

Tenders were opened in the Department of Public Works yesterday for the supply of bitumen for the treating of roads of Vancouver Island and the Lower Mainland. The tenders, which were opened by Hon. W. A. McKenzie, acting Minister of Public Works, were three in number. These were from the Barratt Company, of Vancouver, General Construction Company, and Colfix (Pacific), Limited, of Vancouver.

These tenders will have to be gone into by the officials of the department before being awarded. The tender of General Construction Company was for asphalt, and for bitumuls, a form of emulsion which, it was suggested, should be used. The Colfix (Pacific), Limited, also included emulsion preparations.

The use of emulsions is urged in cases where application has to be made during wet weather, and is recommended in that it is supposed to set even under wet conditions.

Miss Irene Fulton Tells How Cuticura Healed Eczema

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Those members of a harrassed sex who are still considering whether they ought to fatten up or starve during the year 1929 will not be exactly helped out of their dilema by two fashion experts in two London evening papers of this week. Both were writing on the same day. One declared:

"Thousands of women are now flocking to the dress parades, where the new season's secrets are revealed. They are finding that nearly all the frocks are designed to make the woman who wears them look slim and boyish."

And the other writes:

"All the Spring dresses are designed for the re-establishment of feminine curves. Some of the frocks of the season are padded to give a suggestion of greater plumpness while the wearers are cultivating the reality."

Teacher: "What great law is Newton credited with discovering?"

The class (in unison): "The bigger they are the harder they fall."

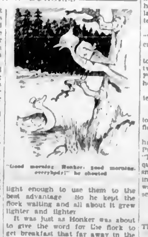
Burgess Bedtime Stories

Sammy Jay Brings News

By THORNTON W. BURGESS

The Black Shadows of the night had fled. At the very first rays of daylight Honker the Goose and his flock had awakened. They were ready, if need be, to continue their journey toward their distant home in the Far North. They swam about. They made their toilets. But all the time Honker, with head held high and sharp eyes watching the shore, kept guard. There was a lot of gabbling among them, for geese dearly love the sound of their own voices. They are social folk. They like to talk things over. And they were ready for breakfast. They remembered the corn that they had found the evening before and they were eager to go look for more of it.

Honker, however, would not let them. He was waiting. He knew full well that at a time like this nothing is lost and much may be gained by waiting. He wanted full daylight before he allowed any of his flock too near the shore. He had led them all the way up from their Winter home in the Sunny South without the loss of a single member of the flock and did not intend to lose one now by carelessness. So he would not let them go in close to the shore where the night before they had found the corn scattered in the water. He would not let them go until he himself had made sure that no danger was hidden close by. Wonderfully sharp are Honker's eyes and he wanted light enough to use them to the best advantage. So he kept the flock waiting and all about it grew lighter and lighter.



"Good morning, Honker; good morning, everybody!" he shouted.

It was just as Honker was about to give the word for the flock to get breakfast that far away in the Green Forest in the direction of the Green Meadows he heard the voice of Sammy Jay. As usual Sammy was screaming "Thief, thief, thief!" he screamed. Honker raised his head a little higher. If anything, Sammy certainly was headed that way. Every time he screamed his voice sounded a little louder. Honker spoke to the members of his flock. Slowly they all moved up the pond in the opposite direction from which Sammy was approaching. Presently Sammy flashed into sight and alighted in a tree on the edge of the pond.

"Good morning, Honker! Good morning, everybody!" he shouted. "I heard you arrive, but it was too late for me to get over here yesterday afternoon. Welcome back!"

Honker swam slowly forward. "Why," he demanded, "were you crying 'Thief, thief'?"

Sammy Jay's eyes twinkled. "Just to let you know that one of those two-legged creatures is in the Green Forest and headed this way," said he.

"Do you mean a hunter with a terrible gun?" demanded Honker.

"I didn't say so," replied Sammy.

Honker looked at him hard and long. Then he swam back to his flock. "We'll wait," said he.

Sammy Jay flew back the way he had come, but he did not go far. Presently they heard him again, "Thief, thief, thief!" Then Honker's quick ears caught the sound of a snapping twig. Some one was coming through the woods and Sammy was keeping just ahead of him, still screaming, "Thief!"

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The next story: "Sammy Jay's Thief."

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CATHOLIC LEAGUE ELECTS OFFICERS

At the annual meeting of the Catholic Women's League, held last evening at the K of C. Hall, Mrs. W McManus was elected president. Other officers elected were as follows: First vice-president, Mrs. A. Orani; second vice-president, Miss H O'Brien; third vice-president, Mrs. C. Sabin; recording secretary, Mrs Blair Reid; corresponding secretary, Mrs Service, councillors, Mrs Sweeney, Mrs Hourigan, Mrs. W Fletcher Mrs W Haswell, Mrs. Roberts and Mrs. Devereaus In recognition of her services as past president. Mrs. F Plumb was presented with a handsome umbrella by the members.

Reports were read, and an active year's work recorded.

To Speak Here

"Opulence, the Gift of God" This is the title of a lecture to be given by Miss Jessie Porter, of Vancouver, in the Alexandra Hall, Campbell Building, on Thursday at 8 p.m.

This lecture is a challenge to Christians of all denominations to believe in the Christian principles and to put them to the test of practical application

At The Playhouses

AMUSEMENTS

Capitol—Reginald Denny in "Clear the Decks"
Coliseum—"Avalanche," starring Jack Holt.
Columbia—Warner Baxter in "Danger Street."
Dominion—"The Man Who Laughs," featuring Mary Philbin.
Playhouse—William Collier in "Backstage."

DOMINION THEATRE In the powerful House of Lords sequence in Universal's super-production of Victor Hugo's "The Man Who Laughs," a sound picture, which is now being screened at the Dominion Theatre, the several hundred lords who were really atmosphere players, were enacted by the highest-priced extras available. Paul Leni directed "The Man Who Laughs," under the production supervision of Paul Kohner.

CAPITOL THEATRE The plight of a wealthy young man who changes places with a friend in order to be near the girl that he loves, and then finds that she thinks he is insane, is just one of the trials and tribulations that Reginald Denny has to undergo in his latest Universal starring picture, "Clear the Decks," now showing at the Capitol Theatre On the stage are several fine vaudeville turns, which include Rae Verne and Palamore, dancers de luxe; Lew Marshall, the well known comedian, and Conrad Glaun, hailed as the young John McCormack, in solo selections, along with Chris Wade and his Stage Band, and "Smiling" Jack Medford, the singing and dancing M C.

COLUMBIA THEATRE Today marks the last time patrons of the Columbia Theatre will have an opportunity to see "Ganger Street," Ralph Ince's latest production for F B O. Even since the picture opened, three days ago, it has played to capacity audiences, and the management anticipates a sell-out early in the day Also on the same hill is the "Russ Farrell" flying series.

COLISEUM THEATRE The addition of the final eight players, completing the cast of "Avalanche," brought the unit to a total of 100 players and technicians. This unit operated in and around Flagstaff, Arizona Jack Holt is the hero in this Zane Grey drama, the current attraction at the Coliseum Theatre, with Doris Hill, Baclanova and John Darrow in other important roles Otto Brower directed "Avalanche." Others signed included Clarke Comstock, Buck Connor Richard Moore, Duke Lee, Lillian West, Robert Fleming and Pern Brower.

PLAYHOUSE THEATRE "Backstage," a Tiffany production, is now showing at the Playhouse Theatre In the cast are such well known players as William Collier, Jr., Barbara Bedford, Alberta Vaughn, Shirley O'Hara, Osyne Whitman, Jocelyn Lee, Guinn (Big Boy) Williams, Brooks Benedict and Jimmy Harrison.

Playhouse Presents Two Revues by Coyne Company Next Week

Things will be stirring at the Playhouse on Monday, April 22, when Fred Coyne's clever English company will put on the revue, "Blue Birds," for the first half of the week, with "On the Road" as a follow on for Thursday, Friday and Saturday The Playhouse stage facilities will be taken advantage of by Mr. Coyne, and he will be able to present several features which lack of convenience compelled him to omit from his show when last in the city Both shows are distinct and original, and strong in those snappy sketches which are the company's long suit.

TOLMIE SCHOOL MAY BE USED

Saanich School Board Endorses Suggestion That Council Be Requested to Furnish $14,500

THANKS ADVISERS FOR ASSISTANCE

Last night the Saanich Board of School Trustees was advised to adopt a plan to utilize the major portion of Tolmie School for the accommodation of first year high school pupils The suggestion was an aftermath of the recent struggle of the school board to persuade the municipal council to submit a by-law for the immediate building of a high school, to the people of Saanich

The board was advised that the total cost of such a move would be $14,380. Of this sum, $1,880 would be devoted to new desks, $2,500 to typewriters and the necessary tables, less the Government grant of $500. Salaries for teachers were estimated at $7,000, transportation of pupils at $300, supplies at $1,000, laboratory equipment at $1,400, and repairs at $606.

Trustee Fyvie, seconded by Trustee Tomes, moved that a request be submitted to the Saanich Council for a grant of the sum of $14,500 for the ordinary expenses of the school board, the money to be used for the purpose stated above.

A letter of thanks will be sent by the board to the principals, staffs and janitors of the Victoria and Oak Bay high schools for their courtesy in furnishing information as to the latest equipment and its most satisfactory employment.

SEATTLE POLICE OFFICER DIES; WAS KNOWN HERE

Inspector Joseph T Mason, one of the best known members of the Seattle police department and next in rank to Chief Louis J Forbes, died at 5 05 o'clock Sunday evening in Virginia Mason Hospital Mason underwent an operation several days ago, rallied, and was believed on the road to recovery. A turn came for the worse on Friday

Inspector Mason was well known by members of the local force and on different occasions came here with athletic teams from Seattle He visited here each Summer for a number of years during his leave of absence from his post with the Seattle police.

MANITOBA INQUIRY WITNESSES ALL HEARD

WINNIPEG, April 16 — Finished at last with the lengthy task of recording evidence, the Royal Commission investigating charges by Colonel F O. Taylor, against the Bracken Government is adjourned until Thursday, when counsel argument begins On that day the commission will anounce its decision on the application for production of books of the Winnipeg Electric Company.

The Men's Guild of St Michael's and St. Columba's parishes have arranged for a lecture to be given by Rev. C. H Cropper entitled "A Visit to Rome," in the Colquitz Hall on Wilkinson Road on Friday next at 8 p.m. The lecture will be illustrated by excellent lantern slides. The proceeds will be devoted to the Anglican Sunday schools of the two parishes. It is hoped that all parishioners will endeavor to be present.

Lilting Music in "The Desert Song" at Royal Monday Next

"The Desert Song," one of those hardy perennials that no one wishes uprooted from the garden of melody, will come to the Royal Victoria Theatre, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, April 22, 23, 24, with a Wednesday matinee No less familiar than its popular song hits are many of the faces in the cast, in which the principles have at their head Perry Askam and Elvira Tanzi in the most important roles, David Reese, last seen here as the tenor in "The Student Prince," Myrtis Crinley, Gary Breckner, John Merkyl, Charles Villar, Violet Derbeck, Nenette Vallon, Dorothy McCormack and others, who were seen in the former presentation. "The Desert Song," "All Alone," and "Ho," riding song of the Riffs, the outstanding numbers, have lost none of their popularity, and the solos, duets and thundering choruses will be found to be as popular as ever.

"ROLLO'S WILD OAT" IS COMING

Delightful Comedy Chosen by University Players For Presentation Here

The University Players' Club, which will appear in the Royal Victoria Theatre on the evening of May 1, under the auspices of the Victoria Kiwanis Club, has chosen for its fourteenth annual performance a delightful comedy called "Rollo's Wild Oat," which has had tremendous success all over the continent, especially in New York where it ran for over two hundred nights. In Berkeley California, it scored a triumph, and, in Winnipeg, it established permanently the reputation of the Winnipeg Little Theatre.

The story is that of a young man, Rollo Webster, the grandson of a millionaire. He realizes, through wealth, his long-cherished dream of playing "Hamlet" The play is just opening when Rollo receives a telegram to the effect that his grandfather is very ill. He runs off the stage, dragging Ophelia with him, and hastens to his grandfather, only to find that the whole thing is a ruse to force him to leave the stage It turns out that the reason for his grandfather's hatred of the stage is an unhappy love affair which he had when a young man with one of the most famous actresses of the day

Rollo finds that his "one oat" is not "Hamlet," as he had supposed, but Ophelia whose real name is Goldie MacDuff. His grandfather is reconciled when he learns that she is not a "little chorus girl," but the granddaughter of the woman he loved.

The performance is under the patronage of Lieutenant-Governor Bruce and Miss Mackenzie and of Hon J Hinchliffe, Minister of Education.

NANAIMO ASSIZES

NANAIMO, April 16.—The Nanaimo assize court opened this morning, Justice McDonald presiding There were only two cases on the docket, namely, George Pearson, charged with the theft of five raccoon skins from William Jolly, of Gabriola Island, and Ching Ming King, charged with unlawfully importing into Canada 1,440 tins of opium valued at $140,000, on July 1, 1928 The last-named case was traversed from the last assize, when the petty jury failed to agree on a verdict.

Court opened at 11 o'clock and after the charging of the grand jury the case against Ching Ming King was proceeded with Evidence was given by Customs officials regarding importation into Nanaimo of opium, at this afternoon's session

Health and Diet Advice

By DR FRANK McCOY

REMOVE OBSTRUCTIONS FROM YOUR PATH TO HEALTH

Chronic patients try one method of cure after another and when they fail to obtain results from medicines and surgery, try some drugless treatment in the hope of a cure. Finally, when they turn to dietetic treatment, most of them have the idea that some particular food is necessary to bring about a cure They have become so thoroughly imbued with the idea that some remedy is necessary that it difficult for them to realize that the way to health is often to av... some food which has been used regularly, but which has interfered with health.

There are a few diseases, such as beri beri, pellagra, rickets and scurvy, which are caused by the absence of certain elements in food, but these diseases are not frequently found in civilised countries Most sick people are really over-nourished rather than under-nourished.

Most common disorders, such as fevers, headaches, rheumatism and indigestion are brought on by excesses of food and usually disappear after the diet has been corrected

Many people understand that the body is self-healing when a cut is involved, but threy do not realize that it is also self-healing where disease is concerned Of course, one would not expect a disease to disappear unless the cause of the disease is removed

A sick man usually becomes sick because he has weakened his body by using an excess of the particular kind of food of which he is most fond In all my experience as a dietitian, I have never felt the need of advising a patient to use a greater quantity of nourishing food as long as the foods he was eating were of the right quality

My advice in almost every disease is to cut down on the rich, so-called nourishing foods and to use more of the non-starchy vegetables or fruits In most cases when the body is free from its burden of excess food it can direct its energies for health.

One reason for the success of the orange juice is that the body can use the vital nourishment of the orange and convert it into valuable blood and tissue where the body would be unable to do so if it were encumbered by an excess of food

After you have tried all these various cures you should remember what I have said in this article about interfering with health. Try the fasting cure in some form. Learn to give up those foods which have been interfering with your health. Give your body a chance to build up health by removing the obstructions which have been preventing health.

Disease often disappears as if by magic when this simple idea is ...d upon. Remember that it is sometimes as important to know what not to do as to know what to do. There is an old saying that we live on one-third of what we eat, the doctor on another third and the undertaker on the last third, which is to say in plain words that most people eat three times as much as they should.

Correspondents wishing to communicate with Dr McCoy should address letters Dr Frank McCoy, c.o Bell Syndicate, 154 Nassau Street, New York, U.S.A

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First Baptist Church—10 a.m., mezzo-soprano solo. 2 p.m., mixed quartette, ladies' trio, tenor solo.
New Thought Temple—10 a.m. and 2 p.m., elocution.
Evening Concert and Competitive Session, Metropolitan Church, 7:30 o'Clock
1. Opening feature, organ recital by Prof. Warren D. Allen.
2. Piano duet, under 16, winners
3. Vocal solo, boys under 16, winner.
4. Tenor solo, final competition
5. Elocution, girls under 19, winner.
6. Piano, under 13, winner
7. Mezzo-soprano solo, finals.
8. Vocal duet, S.A., winners.
9. Male choirs, competition.
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KEEN INTEREST IS DISPLAYED

Results of First Two Sessions of Victoria Musical Festival Win Adjudicators' Praise

ARE PLEASED WITH ARTISTRY

As adjudicator for the vocal solo, for the gold medal presented by Mr J A Griffiths, Doctor Daniel Protheroe, Mus. Bac., said that the playing of his or her own accompaniment by a singer at a musical festival was as novel as it was attractive. This was typical of the complimentary remarks which have been called forth upon the first day of the Victoria Musical Festival, which will be held in the city for the whole of this week.

An interesting feature of the morning session was the pianoforte performances of Miss Peggy Horne and Miss Eleanor C. Sheeley, of Portland, who competed at the City Temple Hall for the silver medal presented by Miss Agnes Renny. The adjudicator, Professor Warren D Allen, was hard put to make his decision between the excellent performances of these two young contestants, and subjected both competitors to a grueling test before he ultimately gave Miss Horne the decision by a margin of one mark. It is understood, in view of the practical impossibility of weighing the merits of these two pianists, that arrangements are being made to present Miss Sheeley with a special medal in recognition of her performance.

The results of the morning and early afternoon sessions were as follows:

CITY TEMPLE HALL

Adjudicator, Professor Warren D. Allen. Pianoforte Intermediate (under 15 years). Competing for silver medal given by Miss Agnes Renny—1, Miss Peggy Horne, 192 marks; 2, Miss Eleanor C. Sheeley, 191 marks; 3, Brian Burdon-Murphy, 172 marks.

METROPOLITAN CHURCH

Adjudicator, Mr P. L. Newcombe, L.T.C.M. Public, rural elementary schools; girls, boys or mixed. Competing for Ladies' Musical Club Challenge Shield—1, Gordon Head Public School, 179 marks, under direction of Miss Marjorie Watson; 2, Shawnigan Public School, 164 marks, under direction of Miss Lonsdale; 3, Mill Bay Public School, 155 marks, under direction of Miss Lonsdale; 4, Sylvania Public School, 153 marks, under direction of Miss Lonsdale; 5, Cobble Hill Public School, 137 marks, under direction of Miss Lonsdale.

NEW THOUGHT TEMPLE

Adjudicator, Mrs. Stanley D Skene, B.L.I. Elocution, primary, girls under 10 years. Competing for silver medal given by Mr. A. Young—1, Anne Clemency Ord, 80 marks, her joy in performance won Mrs. Skene's approval, and secured her the medal; 2, Marjorie Warne; 3, Bethel M. Stoddart. Elocution, junior boys, under 13 years. Competing for silver medal given by Miss E. Scowcroft—1, Jack Stokes, 83 marks, his voice lends itself to this line of work and the phrasing is excellent; 2, Sandro Bullock-Webster and Eddie Lewis.

The only competitor for the elocution boys under 10 years, was H Roy Goldfinch, who was awarded 82 marks. He has the knack of dividing his words to express the thoughts of the writer, and he handled his recitation cleverly.

METROPOLITAN CHURCH

Adjudicator, Mr P. L. Newcombe Public schools: primary grades 1 and 2, twenty to thirty voices Competing for David Spencer, Limited, Challenge Shield—1, Oaklands Public School, 177 marks, under direction of Miss McKay; 2, Burnside Public School, 176 marks, under direction of Miss J Polson; 3, Margaret Jenkins Public School, 169 marks, under direction of Miss Field, 4 Girls' Central Public School, 160 marks, under direction of Miss D. M. Morton; 5, Sir James Douglas Public School, 155 marks, under direction of Miss Duncan; 6, Tolmie Public School, 153 marks, under direction of Miss Horner; 7, Shawnigan Public School, 146 marks, under direction of Miss Lonsdale.

Choirs, boys under 16 years, twenty to thirty-five voices Competing for the W. H Wilkerson Shield—1, St. Louis College Choir, 183 marks, under direction of Mr. J. O. Keogh; 2, Christ Church Cathedral Choir, 182 marks, under direction of Mr Harold Davis, 3, Shawnigan Lake Boys' Choir, 169 marks, under direction of Miss Lonsdale; 4, Foul Bay Boys' Choir, 155 marks, under direction of Miss Campbell.

Class 64—Elocution, junior girls under 13 years, preliminary and final. Competing for silver medal given by Maurice Thomas Selections: (a) "The Witches' Steeds," by Will H. Ogilvie, and (b) "I'd Be a Butterfly," by Thomas H Bailey. First, Audrey Nixon, 87 marks; 2, Lorna Coton, 80 marks, 3, Nora Garcin and Marion Halls tied with 79 marks.

DRAMALOGUE ON AIR OVER CFCT

Immediately following the closing market quotations, and commencing at 6 15 o'clock tonight the Sunset Concert Orchestra will be heard over Victoria's radio station in a programme of classical music. A funeral procession for a Hindostan potentate, "Cortage der Sirdar," is the first number to be played over CFCT, while a concert waltz, "Acclamations," will then be rendered, along with a selection from Youman's highly successful musical comedy, "No, No, Nanette." The nightly hour with the Sunset Broadcasters will also include "The Warbler's Serenade," by Perry, and a country dance by Rudolf Frimi entitled "A Russian Rural Scene."

At 8 o'clock this evening a selected cast of Stevenson's Players will present a radio play complete in three acts, entitled "An Old Man's Darling." Tonight's play is a love drama, and has for its theme the old proverb that "It's better to be an old man's darling than a young man's slave."

CFCT's last broadcast for this evening will commence at 11 o'clock, when the microphone of the local station will be placed in the Crystal Garden, and the Crystal Garden Orchestra will be heard in a programme of popular dance melodies.

IN COUNTY COURT

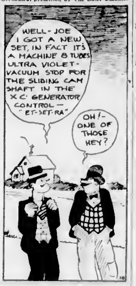
His Honor Judge Lampman, in County Court yesterday, awarded plaintiff judgment for $39.50 in the action of Frederick Williams versus W. J. Keen and A. R. Keen. Williams, a chef, who resides at 2231 Windsor Road, Oak Bay, launched suit against W. J. Keen, a baker, and A. R. Keen, deliveryman, both living at 1029 North Park Street, claiming $99 damages for personal injuries and damages to a bicycle. The action arose following a collision between a car driven by A. R. Keen and a bicycle ridden by the plaintiff Williams, on November 15, 1929, at the corner of Oak Bay Avenue and Richmond Road, which resulted in the plaintiff being thrown to the ground and requiring medical assistance, and his bicycle being considerably damaged. Mr Gerald H. Sedger was counsel for the plaintiff, and Mr. H. A. Maclean, K.C., represented both defendants.

Radio Programmes

By Courtesy of Radio Doings

Summary of Schedule of Victoria and Other Pacific Coast Stations

CFCT, Victoria, B.C. (475.9m)—6 p.m. The morning market quotations 6 p.m. The closing market trends 6 10. The Sunset Concert Orchestra presents the following: Grand March from "Cortage der Sirdar" (Ippanow), a concert waltz, "Acclamations" (Waldteufel), a selection from "No, No, Nanette" (Youmans), "Allegretto," from the Violin Sonata (Greig), "The Warbler's Serenade" (Perry), "Russian Rural Scene" (Primi), a ballad, "Only a Year Ago" (Albers) 7 10. "What's Doing in Town" Savory's Garden Bulletin, official weather report, weekly radiotorial, Petroleum in the Lead. West Coast Information Service. "Lorie Watch" correct time signal. 8. A selected cast of Stevenson's Players present a love drama complete in three acts, entitled "An Old Man's Darling." 11. The Crystal Garden Orchestra, presented by The Daily Colonist.



National Broadcasting Company—10 30-11 30 a.m. "Women's Magazine of the Air." 1-2 p.m. Pacific Vagabonds (Transcontinental from S.F.) 3-4. N.B.C. System. The Cabin Door 6 30-7 30 N.B.C. System. Palmolive Hour (Transcontinental) 7 30-8. N.B.C. System. Gold Strand programme (Transcontinental) 8-8 30, N.B.C. System. "Roads to Romance" 8 30-9. N.B.C. System, the Hill Billy Boys 10 p.m.-10 midnight. The Trocaderans.

CNRW, Winnipeg, Man. (384.4m)—6 30 p.m. (Central Standard Time). Dinner programme.

CNRV, Vancouver, B.C. (291m)—10-11 p.m. Variety programme.

KJR, Seattle, Wash (309.1m)—American Broadcasting Co.—7-8 a.m. Vim Vigor and Vitality 8-9. Golden Hour Orchestra 9-9 30. Better Homes programme 9 30-9 45. Glenn Eaton and Marjorie Robillard 9 45-10 Morning devotional service 11 a.m.-12 noon. American Revellers, Floyd Matthews, director 12-12-12 30 p.m. Glenn Eaton and Marjorie Robillard 12 30-1 30. American Salon Orchestra 1 30-2. Song recital 2-3. American Artistic Ensemble 3-4. American Salon Orchestra 4-4 20. Bridge Table. Lillian Thompson, instructor 4 20-5. Songfest, soloists, Vance Gerber and Gordon Onsted 5-6 American Salon Orchestra 6-7. Twilight hour 7-7 30. Kolster programme (C.B.S. from N.Y.) 7 30-8. "Great American Appleberrys," comedy sketch (S.F.) 8-8 30. "Singing Strings" 8 30-9. "Over Land and Sea," Liborius Hauptmann and his Pacific Salon Orchestra (S.F.) 9-9 30. Pacific Artists Trio (S.F.) 9 30-10. Kenin's Capers with the Golden Gate Gypsies (S.F.) 10-11. Sleepy Time programme (S.F.) 11-12. Golden Gate Gypsies.

KGO, Oakland, Cal. (379.5m; 790k)—5 15-5 30 p.m. Feature talk 6-6 30. Paul Reeves 6 30-7 30. Palmolive Hour 7 30-8. Gold Strand programme 8-8 30. Jack and Ethyl, the Motormates. 9 00-9. Three Boys 9-9 30. Programme by Parisian Quintette 9 30-10. Songs and the Singer 10 p.m.-12 midnight. The Trocaderans.

KFI, Los Angeles, Cal. (468.5m; 640k)—4 p.m. Hugo Ascober, Spanish lessons 6. Big Brother 6 30. Better America Federation 6 45. Rick Barris, detective stories 6 15. Police Commissioner W. O. Thorpe 6 30. Palmolive programme 7 30. Gold Strand programme 8. Jack and Ethyl, Motormates 8 00. Virginia Flohri, soprano 9. Concert Orchestra 10-11. Dance music programme.

KOA, Denver, Colo. (361.2m; 830k)—6-6 30 p.m. Ipana Troubadours 6 30-7 30. Palmolive Hour 7 30-8. Gold Strand Orchestra 8-8 30. Vincent Lopez and his orchestra 8 30-9. Colorado Fuel & Iron Co. 9-9 30. KOA March Orchestra and Sally Mason 9 30-10. In the Garden 10-11. The Trocaderans. N.B.C.

KPO, San Francisco, Cal. (440.9m; 680k)—2-2 30 p.m. Roses of Dreams 2 30-3 45. Secrets for Women Only 3-45. Baseball broadcast 4.45. Stock market quotations 5-6. Children's Hour 6-6 30. KPO Carolers 6 30-7 30. Palmolive programme 7 30-8. Gold Strand programme 8-8 30. Jack and Ethyl 8 30-9 30. Aeolian Trio 9 30-10. Tommy Munroe and Bob Allen 10 11. Dance Orchestra 11 p.m.-12 midnight. The Trocaderans.

KYA, San Francisco, Cal. (243.8m; 1,230k)—3 40-3 p.m. Baseball from Recreation Park 3-6. KYA Trio 6 15-6 45. Golden Gate Cryer period 6 45-7. Talk on Crime Prevention 7-7 30. Kolster Hour, C.B.S. 7 30-8. Appleberry comedy sketch. A.B.C. 8-8 30. Carter's Happiness programme 8 30-9. Over Land and Sea 9-9 30. Metro and Cosmo, with trio 9 30-10. Kenin's Capers 10-11. Sleepy Time 11 p.m.-12 midnight. Golden Gate Gypsies.

KOMO, Seattle, Wash (325.9m; 920k)—6 p.m. The Cabin Door 4. Milling stocks 4 10. Orchestra 4 35 "Something About Everything" 6. Kiddies' programme 6 Concert Orchestra 6 30. Palmolive Hour 7 30. Gold Strand group 8. Roads to Romance 8 30. Male Quartette 8 45. Concert Orchestra 9 45. Play by the Totem Thespians 10 Symphonic Orchestra 11 10 p.m.-12 30 a.m. Male Quartette.

KPRC, San Francisco, Cal. (161.8m; 610k)—3-3 30 p.m. Educational period 4-4 55 Matinee Melody Masters 4 55-6. Town topics 6-6. Mac and his Gang 6-7, KPRC Concert Orchestra 7-7 00. Concert Orchestra 7 30-7 55 Maytag Ra-A-Tone programme 7 55-8. Weather Bureau Bulletins 8-9 Buick Boosters programme 9-10 John Smallman A Capella Choir 10-11. Hotel Mark Hopkins Orchestra 11 p.m.-12 midnight. New Mandarin Cabaret Band.

KOL, Seattle, Wash. (256.1m; 1,270k)—2 30-4 30 p.m. Baseball broadcast 6-6. Service hour 6-7. Dinner hour concert 7-7 30 Ken Stuart's half hour 7 30-8. Madre Baldwin, "This and That" 8-9. Dixie Old Time String Band 9-9 15 Amos 'n' Andy 9 15-10. Pacific Trade programme 10-11. Studio programme 11 p.m.-12 midnight. Hotel Butler Indians.

KGW, Portland, Ore (483.6m; 620k)—4-6 p.m. Cabin Door 6 30-6. Movie talk 6-6 15. Book chat 6 15-6 30. Current Events talk 6 30-7 30 Palmolive programme 7 30 8. Gold Strand programme 8-8 30 Roads to Romance 8 30-9. Historical drama 9-9 30. Davidson Bakery programme 9 30 10. Maytag Ra-A-Tone programme 10-11. Fisher Concert Orchestra 11 p.m.-12 midnight. KGW Dance Band 12 midnight-12 12 a.m. Oregonian news summary.

KNX, Los Angeles, Cal. (285.5m; 1,050k)—3 30-3 p.m. Talk on "Better Speech" 4 25. Perfect Eyesight Without Glasses 6-5 45. Own Your Own Home 3 45-6. Town Crier's amusement tips 6-6 30. Playgoers Club 6 30-7. Concert Orchestra 7 7 30. "Mr and Mrs.," radio skit 7 30-8. Hollywood step-run programme 8-8 30. Bert Butterworth's Airedales 8 30-9. Imperial Gasoline Co programme 9-10. Feature programme 10 p.m.-12 midnight. Cocoanut Grove Orchestra 12 midnight-1 a.m. Dorado Club Silver Fim dance hour.

KSL, Salt Lake City, Utah (265.3m; 1,130k)—5 35 p.m. "The Senator of Sandpit County" 5 55. "The Romance of Home" 6 10. Variety programme 6 30. Palmolive hour 7 30. Gold Strand Orchestra 8. Vincent Lopez and his Orchestra 8 30. Little Symphony Orchestra 9. Concert group 10. The Trocaderans.

"I always think of all the unkind things I've said during the day before I go to sleep at night," boasted Elsie.

"You don't say so!" replied her friend. "How can you do with so little sleep?"

Authors' Round Table Featured Over NBC Today

Radio listeners of the entire Western territory will have an opportunity to hear from some of America's foremost writers when the Authors' Round Table Hour is broadcast over the A.B.C. Western Network this evening at 9 o'clock, Pacific Standard Time.

Joseph Henry Jackson, former editor of The Sunset Magazine and nationally known as a literary critic, has selected a group of representative writers from among the many attending the convention of the Pacific division of the National Booksellers' Association being held in San Francisco to appear in this broadcast.

An informal discussion will be held during the hour in which such prominent literary figures as Stewart Edward White, Gertrude Atherton, Ruth Comfort Mitchell, Charles Caldwell Doble, James Swinnerton, W. B Garthwaite and William S Hart, famous "bad man" of the movies, lately turned author, will be heard.

Demonstrating that authors are not necessarily limited in their talents, the music which will lend variety to the programme will be furnished by the members of the group. W. B. Garthwaite will be heard in violin and viola solos, and Harry Robertson, baritone, will present a group of songs.

TEMPERING COPPER

LONDON, April 16.—Two London men, John Cameron, mechanic, and Hugh Webster, banker, claim to have discovered the art of tempering copper. Several pieces of the tempered metal are so hard they file like hard steel.

Copper was tempered by the ancients before steel came into use. The particular method they used is not known, but there are various methods available to modern metallurgists. These are not used, as tempered copper is less serviceable than tempered iron because of its greater weight and greater cost.

SERVICE CLUBS ARE FOUNDED ON IDEALISM

Mr. T. Harry Gowman, Kiwanis District Governor, Pays Official Visit to Victoria Kiwanis Club

OBJECTIVES OF BODY REVIEWED

"Service clubs are based on ideals, and without them, these organizations would be of little value and could not endure. Ideals are the inspirational foundation of service clubs, and set forth the altruistic appeal to service, which attracts and holds the business men. These ideals are translated into a constructive programme of definite objectives which results in community and nation betterment," stated Mr. T. Harry Gowman, of Seattle, governor of the Pacific Northwest Kiwanis District, in speaking to the Victoria Kiwanis Club yesterday at its weekly luncheon gathering in the ballroom of the Empress Hotel.

Governor Gowman told the clubmen that he was paying his first official visit to a Canadian Kiwanis Club, and congratulated the Victoria Kiwanians upon their excellent record of service. The Kiwanis leader was given a hearty reception, being introduced by President J. Brooke Stephenson.

The speaker said he was trying to build up in the Pacific Northwest district, which embraces eighty-two Kiwanis clubs, a strong sense of what Kiwanis was, what its objectives and aims were, and to urge Kiwanians to build for the future.

"Our district has three distinct aims, said the speaker: That every club be represented at the district convention in Salem, Oregon, in August next; that every Kiwanis club at least every quarter have an interclub meeting with another Kiwanis body, and that each club have a continuing objective from year to year."

IRRIGATION SURVEY IS PROGRESSING

The preparations for the arriving at a satisfactory settlement of the Okanagan irrigation question is now progressing in a satisfactory way. Dr. W. H. Gaddes, the colonization commissioner, is completing his survey of the situation, and later some consultations will be held before the final figures are agreed upon.

With this settled it is expected that an end to the agitations from that part of the province may conclude.

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RAIN MARS OPENING OF MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL

U.S. Ryder Cup Team Given Fine Welcome On Reaching England

Walter Hagen Tells of Reception at Hands of British Golfing Friends—Says All Members Withstood Long Voyage Well

By WALTER HAGEN
British Open Golf Champion, Captain of Captains of U.S. Ryder Cup Team
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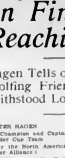
By Cable to The Colonist and the North American Newspaper Alliance.

LONDON, April 16 — The British golfing friends gave the American Ryder Cup team a great reception when we landed at Plymouth from the Mauretania, and again at Paddington station, London. In London we were met by officials of the British Professional Golfing Association, Orange Duncan, captain of the British team and a number of his players. We were literally mobbed in Paddington station, and it was more than a half-hour before we were able to get away to our quarters.


WALTER HAGEN

All the members of the United States team withstood the long voyage very well and will be out swinging their clubs on one of the London courses tomorrow. Samuel Ryder, donor of the cup for which we will play, will be host tomorrow at a luncheon to both teams, and we will have another opportunity to wear our uniforms. We gave them a workout on the Mauretania to the satisfaction of ourselves and the passengers.

Early Thursday morning our team will motor to Deal, where for two days we will practise over three famous Kent links—Prince's, Royal St. George's and Deal. We return to London for exhibitions Saturday, and than go to Leeds for two days' practice.

Tuesday and Wednesday of next week I want our players to go to Muirfield, where later the British Open championship will be played. I have two objects in that. I believe that after two days at Muirfield, when the boys return to Leeds for the Ryder Cup matches, the Moortown course will not appear difficult. And second, the players are itching to see the links over which the British Open championship will be contested.

Following the Ryder Cup match, we will make our headquarters at Gullane, Scotland, in a hotel close by Muirfield links. But before the open championship is played I expect the boys to spend a day in old St. Andrews and visit Gleneagles, Edinburgh and Glasgow.

I have seen six members of the British Ryder Cup team—Duncan, Boomer, Charlie Whitcomb, Compston, Cotton and Allise, and they all look fit and are playing good golf. Alise, an Englishman now connected at the Berlin Golf Club, tells me there's a great deal of enthusiasm in Germany in anticipation of our visit there to compete in the German Open championship.

To a great many inquiries from golfers and writers regarding the outlook for the international match at Leeds, I have replied that it looks to me a very even thing. It gives me a great deal of satisfaction on my eighth visit to England to bring the first official team of American professional golfers; and I am certain they'll do well in competition with Great Britain and on the Continent.

OAK BAY CLUB TITLE PLAY TO BEGIN SUNDAY

Qualifying Round of Eighteen Holes Scheduled at Victoria Golf Club This Week-End

ART BEASLEY TO DEFEND HONORS

Play in the qualifying round for the club championship of the Victoria Golf Club will commence next Sunday morning over the Oak Bay links. Art Beasley is expected to defend the title, which he won last year by defeating Jack Mason in the final round.

The competition will be open to ordinary and nonresident members and the winner will be given a place of the Harvey Combe Bowl for one year.

The qualifying round will consist of eighteen holes medal play with out handicap, and the first sixteen will form the championship flight. Other flights will be formed, according to the number of entries, and a prize will be awarded to the winner and runner-up of each flight.

If two or more are tied in the qualifying round for the last place they shall, on the day on which the tie is played, play one or more holes for the last position.

The entrance fee is $1, and postentries will be received. Players in the qualifying round will choose their opponents and arrange their own starting times.

DRAW ANNOUNCED FOR SEMI-FINALS

Norman Wallace Paired With C. H. Christopher and Wills With Collings in Macaulay Cup

Three youths and a veteran will tee off Sunday in the semi-finals of the Macaulay Point Golf Club championship. Norman Wallace, the defending champion, will be playing against young C. H. Christopher, the fifteen-year-old schoolboy, and Willard Wills, one of last year's finalists, will be paired with H. H. "Lottie" Collings.

Wallace, by his brilliant showing in the recent British Columbia amateur championship when he reached the final only to be defeated by such a golfer as Chuck Hunter, of Tacoma, is expected to retain his laurels. On Sunday the defending champion is threatened with a youngster who finished three strokes behind him in the medal round, and who is playing first class golf at the present time.

Wills, who bowed to Wallace last year in the final round, 6 and 5, will have his hands full when he steps off the first tee on the eighteen-hole grind with H. H. Collings.

Both matches are expected to be close as all four golfers are playing a comparatively good game.

The final will be played on May 5, as Macaulay Point is playing against Colwood on Sunday, April 21. The finals of all the flights will be carried out on Sunday.

Morpheus Arch Enemy to Ball Players

Gains Outclasses Australian Heavy In Toronto Ring

By AL DEMAREE
(Former Pitcher New York Giants)

TORONTO, April 18 — Larry Gains, of Toronto, Canadian heavyweight champion, clearly outclassed George Cook, Australian heavyweight titleholder, in a ten-round bout here last night. Gains led all the way, having height and reach advantages, but giving away five pounds in weight.

Cook absorbed plenty of punishment, but always came back for more. Gains knocked down and left proved Cook's best offensive, but Gains hit Cook's jaw with a right at the time he was busy covering up his "Australian" left. Gains knocked Cains look every round, with the finish probably even. In the fifth the Canadian negro drove one "Australian" all over the ring with a series of right smashes flush to the face. Cook scaled 184½ while Gains rang in at 186½.

BURNSIDE BOWLERS TO MEET ON MAY 2

The general meeting of the Burnside Lawn Bowling Club has been postponed until May 2. Announcement has been made that the official opening of the greens will not be held until May 4.

BELIEVE IT OR NOT — — — By Ripley

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Saanich Schools' Team Retains Fragments Cup

Defeats Oak Bay Eleven, 6-1, in Final Round for Coveted Trophy and City and District Schools' Soccer Championship

The Fragments of France Cup, emblematic of the City and District Schools' football championship, will remain in the shrines of the Saanich Schools eleven for the next twelve months, as a result of their nine-sided victory, 6-1, over the Oak Bay squad yesterday afternoon in the final round at the Oak Bay Park. A large crowd of spectators witnessed the game. The opening period was played in a steady downpour with a bitter cold wind sweeping across the pitch. During the second half the rain ceased, but the heavy wind continued.

Oak Bay kicked the opening goal with less than a minute remaining in the initial period. The lads turned in the final status, when the Oak Bay eleven collapsed under the terrific strain forced upon them by their opponents. In the last twenty-five minutes the rural lads checked home six rapid goals, while the opposition failed to show the form they displayed in the initial half.

Saanich won the toss and chose to play against the wind and rain. Morgan, outside left for the winners, came within an ace of scoring out Carmichael, the Bays' goalie, came out of his net to save. Only a few more moments elapsed and the Bay net was again subjected to several warm onslaughts. Once Carmichael saved the situation by diving across the net and throwing the leather out. Morgan received it and drove a hot shot that hit the posts and bounded back into play. Dawson rushed in on it and headed a fast one over the bar.

The work of the Oak Bay backs at this time was good, and they broke up many dangerous forward rushes. They fed later from; into with several good opportunities, which were not taken advantage of.

SALMON GETS OPENER

Todd, right-winger for Oak Bay, sent across a beautiful centre and Lindsay neatly converted it with a wicked drive. With the Bays still on the offensive and less than a minute to go in the first half, Salmon, inside right, sent in a low, slow drive that rolled between Walker's legs for the goal-getter's first. A few moments later the whistle sounded the first period.

Ten minutes after play had been resumed in the second half for the disappointed, equalized the score when Dawson received a perfect pass and beat Carmichael with a sizzling drive. Ten minutes after the Bays kicked off, Horace Saanich, who had gone to by heading Morgan's centre into the net. Young Billy Campbell, left wing for the Bays, nearly forced the issue, but even terms still a well directed shot, but Walker saved nicely.

Dawson scored his second goal a few minutes later when he tricked his way through the Bays' back division, drew the goalie out of his net and kicked the leather into an empty goal. For the Oak Bay team gradually weakening and Saanich forcing at every opportunity, the game became one-sided. Smith broke through for two rapid goals that made the count stand 5-1. Dawson was indirectly responsible for the final tally by drubbing clear of the backs and passing to Smith, who was uncovered. The latter made no mistake and beat Carmichael, easily.

For the winners, Dawson, Kennedy, Walker, Smith and Morgan played fine games, while Todd, Bird, Salmon, Carmichael and Campbell starred for the losers. Armstrong refereed and the teams were:

Saanich—D. Walker (Cloverdale); K. Kennedy (Victoria High School); J. Williams (Cedar Hill); O. Mowat (Tillicum); C. Smith (Strawberry Vale); C. Carpenter (McKenzie Avenue); C. Pullon (Strawberry Vale); H. Dawson (Victoria High School); W. Smith (Strawberry Vale); P. Pollizano (Strawberry Vale) and R. Morgan (Victoria High School).

Oak Bay — Carmichael (St. Michael's); McGregor (Monterey); Hayward (Willows); Jenkins (Oak Bay High School); Thorne (St. Michael's); Campbell (Monterey); Todd (Cranleigh School); Bird (Oak Bay High School); Salmon (St. Michael's); Buckler (St. Michael's) and Todd (St. Michael's).

Meeting Postponed

The Five C's football meeting scheduled for tonight at 226 Wolseley Avenue has been postponed until further notice. The team will hold a special practice at the Central Park on Saturday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock.

Postal savings in Japan now total $875,000,000.

GOLF AS CHAMPIONS PLAY IT

At what angle of the downward stroke at the drive should the "zip" —the sweet spot—occur?

Answered By
JIM BARNES

The wrist action should be delayed as long as possible because it is used early in the swing. Hit force is placed out with the wrists comes for the club head to hit the ball. Don't actually start "striking the ball" until the club head is about two feet from the ball. Then is the time for the wrist movement. During the downward swing before the "zip" is used, the wrists should be free and not rigid.

AMERICANS TO BRING ALONG STRONG TEAM

Washington State Soccer All-Stars to Battle Victoria Here Saturday—Is Well-Balanced Squad

CENTRE FORWARD HAS GOOD RECORD

Washington State soccer all-stars, who are due here Saturday to meet the Victoria representatives in an exhibition game at the Royal Athletic Park, stand out as one of the strongest teams to visit the city this year, according to Joe Bloomy, manager of the local squad, who will assist the Americans in the action at Seattle in the first game. The visitors are bringing over a well balanced eleven, for the greater part composed of young players, all of whom are well versed in the game.

The Victoria team, selected two weeks ago, is considered a strong "rep" aggregation, and will be expected to repeat their success in the first game. Victoria defeated the Sound city eleven, 1-0.

Banks, goal, is an old-timer, very reliable and knows his position well.

Perry, fullback, great player and one of the most consistent defence men in the State of Washington this season.

Wargo, fullback, a newcomer to all-star soccer, very steady and should make a good partner for Perry.

Drake, halfback; a good player, knows his position thoroughly and is a hard man to beat.

Farmer, halfback, hunting centre half, very speedy both on the attack and defence.

Williams, halfback; very speedy and excels on the defence.

Simpson (captain), forward; fastest man on the team. Always dangerous and hard to stop.

Doyle, forward; clever, heady inside right, knows the game and plays it well.

Williamson, forward; a member of the old school who made a sensational comeback this season and has an average of three goals per game.

Alex. Russell, forward; an old-timer. Very reliable and has a steady influence over the rest of the team.

Jim Russell, forward; a clever outside left, who always plays the game and position as it should be played.

All members of the Victoria team are sufficiently well-known to local fans and their performances of their ability is not necessary.

The game will start at 2.15 o'clock and not 3 o'clock, as previously stated.

CHARLIE BELANGER OUTPOINTS DILLON

MINNEAPOLIS, April 16—Charlie Belanger, Winnipeg light-welterweight champion of Canada, decisively outpointed Harry Dillon, also of Winnipeg, in a ten-round bout tonight. Belanger punished Dillon badly in the body in the late rounds, and had him hanging on in the tenth. Belanger weighed 136 1-2 and Dillon 141 1-4.

Babe Ruth Will Be Married Today In New York City

NEW YORK, April 16.—Abandoning his original plan for a secret wedding, Babe Ruth announced through his business manager, Christy Walsh, that he will be married tomorrow morning at 6:30 o'clock in St. Gregory's Church to Mrs. Clair Hodgson.

WILLIAMS DOES NOT LIKE TERM FASTEST HUMAN

Canadian Olympic Hero Asks Newspaper men to Refrain From Describing Him as Such

"Please don't describe me as the fastest human," Percy Williams modestly appealed to the newspapermen.

"Why that is absurd. Do you mean to say that somebody has travelled faster than I have?"

He admitted that he might be able to better the records he has already established as soon as he has mastered the virtue of a quick start.

"I'm always trying to improve myself and believe that consistent practice and keen competition will bring results," Williams said.

TORONTO TO SEE STARS PERFORM

OTTAWA, April 16.—Canada's Olympic heroes came to Toronto amid the acclaims of hundreds of citizens, civic authorities and representatives of the various branches of athletic endeavor. Heading the group of athletes, who will perform at an indoor track carnival here to-morrow night, were Percy Williams, my Ball, of Winnipeg.

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BOWLING

BAGGAGE GO UNDER

Victoria Baggage champions of the Commercial Bowling League suffered a rude jolt at James Island last night when they found when they dropped three games to the home crew. The winners passed the 800 mark in each game to show the lads that the Baggagemen could do was to add 25 pins. The scores:

James Island

John Ford	154	143	182—	479
W. Rivers	162	122	177—	551
J. Thompson	137	159	145—	441
J. Lynch	177	204	157—	538
E. Rivers	190	147	151—	488
Totals	840	831	810—2481	

Victoria Baggage

W. Talbot	144	144	148—	436
R. Hancock	124	154	122—	400
V. Irwin	128	145	157—	430
J. Wilson	141	144	129—	405
J. Huxtable	145	178	196—	519
Totals	682	765	743—2190	

COMPLETE FIGHT CARD ANNOUNCED

Jumbo Davies to Battle Billy Peirie in Semi-Windup to Bradshaw-Sweeney Mix at Duncan

The complete programme of bouts arranged by Promoter W. H. Bastasne for Saturday night at Duncan is as follows:

Main event ten rounds at 138 pounds—Charlie Bradshaw, Duncan, vs. Jack Sweeney, Powell River.

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Four rounds at 130 pounds—Tony Krist, Victoria, vs. McCoy, Victoria.

Four rounds at 100 pounds—Billy Lewis, Victoria, vs. Charlie Stocks, Duncan.

Local fans are taking quite a keen interest in the bouts and quite a number are going to Duncan to witness the show which will commence at 8.45 o'clock.

PHILEDWARDS MAY STUDY AT McGILL

MONTREAL, April 16—Phil Edwards member of Canada's 1928 Olympic team now attending the University of New York may enter McGill University here when he graduates from the United States institution.

50,000 SEE CUBS TRIMMED AT HOME BY PIRATE SQUAD

Highly-Touted National League Squad Nosed Out in Opener, 4-3, Before More Than Half of Combined Attendance of Major League Openers—Yankees-Boston Rained Out

Only Four of Scheduled Eight Games Played; Athletics Idle

By ALAN J. GOULD
Associated Press Sports Writer

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FOUR ELEVENS ENTER CRICKET

Incogs, Cowichan, Five C's and Albions Will Play in Victoria and District League This Season

SCHEDULE WILL OPEN ON MAY 19

Four clubs, Incogs, last year's champions, Cowichan, Albions and Five C's, will play in the Victoria and District Cricket League in the first half of the schedule which will open Saturday, May 18 and continue for six weeks. Following the completion of first half, entries will be called for the second half. Teams failing to compete in the opening series will forfeit the privilege of playing in the final half. The league championship and possession of the Virtue Cup will be decided by a playoff series between the winners of each half of the schedule.

The matter of inserting games was discussed at last night's meeting and it was decided to ask Vancouver to play here on July 1 and to have the return game on the Mainland on Labor Day.

Minor Affiliation Offered to Coast Hockey by N.H.L.

DETROIT, April 16—It was announced today that at the meeting of the Pacific Coast Hockey League board of governors here President Chidlaw was authorized to offer the Pacific Coast League an affiliation with the National League under the same agreement as the American Association, Canadian League and Canadian-American League.

Calder announced each club's share of the gate receipts as follows:

Montreal, two games	$18,000.00
Boston, six games	18,000.00
Toronto, four games	6,000.00
Los Angeles, three games	6,000.00
Americans, two games	3,000.00
Detroit, two games	3,000.00

SALO WINS LAP IN PYLE'S RACE

Pacific Policeman Shows Heels to Rest of Field—Peter Jacobs Second, Gardner Third

RICHMOND, Ind., April 16.—Johnny Salo, the Pacific cop of Passaic, N.J., showed his heels to the rest of the pack in C. C. Pyle's transcontinental foot race today, and with a stiff gale at his back blew into Richmond the first control point in the Monster state, far in advance of the rest of the field.

He covered the sixty-three miles from Springfield, Ohio, in 8 47 10, almost an hour ahead of Pete Garuzzi, of England, leader in elapsed time, who was second in 9 27 50. Ed Gardner, Seattle, negro, who stands second by elapsed time, was third. Guido Dinelli of Italy, fourth, Mike Joyce, of Cleveland, fifth, and Philip Cronenville of Hamilton, Ontario, and Sam Richman, New York, tied for sixth place.

Moriarty at Bat

Big League Umpire Gives Some Tips on How to Follow Real Features in Baseball—Tells of Some Vital Characteristics of Sluggers

By GEORGE MORIARTY
Big League Umpire.
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An intent spectator derives far more enjoyment from a baseball game than the man satisfied to view proceedings in a casual manner.

So many things can happen in nine innings that the fan perfunctorily inclined is likely to miss the real feature in an unexpected moment. For instance, one may fail to see a base runner leaving base too soon on a fly ball, by watching the fielder too long. One who watches only the pitcher misses the treat of seeing a clever base runner outjockey the hurler for a commanding lead. Hundreds of fans get a kick out of shifting their points of vision to take in all the action.

Now that the season is under way I should like to call to your attention one of the vital characteristics indulged in by every real fan—sluggers. We all realize their driving power, and know that it results from a co-ordination of arms, wrists, shoulders and back and leg muscles, plus the timing device of eyesight and brain. While no one can the latter stepping forward and hear the actual impact of ball and bat, I believe we often miss the prettiest part of the execution, the start of the swing.

SOMETHING IN COMMON

All slugging batsmen have some things in common, particularly the timing device and the power-pose during wallop. The important function is to get the power behind the swing; and this cannot be accomplished unless the start, or more properly, the top of the swing, is correctly applied.

We usually pay little attention to the top of the swing because through habit we watch the ball in its course from the pitcher's hand and follow it to the plate. By that time the batter is either through swinging or has elected not to swing.

As a matter of interest (with bases empty), the next time you see your favorite in any league actually ready to swing, disregard for the moment the pitcher and everything else except the ball in your favorite's hands.

Watch the player closely. You will see his step forward accompanied by a lightning movement of the wrists, which tips the top of the bat slightly forward toward the pitcher. This is followed by the terrific arc or path of the fall which produces the driving force. It is what the ballplayers refer to as "cow-tailing." Without the slight forward tilting of the bat the "cow-tailing" effect of wrists and arms could be impossible.

The great quest for the lady is on. Failure to drive in enough tallies has made many a manager premature grey. Last year a team in one of the minor leagues was leading steadily. One day, after his team was shut out, the losing manager reached home in a doleful mood and found his wife bewailing the false

"Things seem to be going wrong for you, too, dear," he said in a sympathetic voice.

"I should say so," was the reply. "I have a run in my new stockings."

"Well, that's a tough break," consoled the husband, "but you scored one more than we did in nine innings today."

KINGSTON COURTS OPEN SATURDAY

Five Clay Surfaces Reported in Excellent Shape, and Large Crowd Is Expected

The courts of the Kingston Street Tennis Club will be thrown open for the season Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Recent improvements have put the five playing surfaces in excellent condition and a large crowd is expected to be on hand for the opening.

The membership of the club has increased greatly, and with the season's opening on hand, the full quota is expected to be reached soon. A lengthy programme of interclub events, in addition to the regular club fixtures, has been drawn up by the executive, and the coming season looks like it will be a banner one.

WAYNE DE GRACE, April 16.—Results of racing here today:

First race—Purse and a half furlongs: Tom Hill (Moser) $10 00 6 60 4.30
Pa Si (McFadden) 6 80 4 20
Frank (Brickman) 3 00
Time, 1:16 2-5. Also ran: Jack Adams, Crystal Scratched: Frenchman, Chaldon, Chaplain, Bower, Senator, Fair Orb, The Ram.

Second race—Six furlongs:
Hal Brush (Mellman) $ 9 60 6 00 4 00
Bob Beamer (Sun) 4 00
America (Abel) 3 00
Time, 1:14 4-5. Also ran: Cudahy, Lorain, Wide Worth, Chemist Maid, All Blue, Bacchanal, Deep Lady, Tyrone, Rise Up, Senator Pulaski, Mary Mirkel, Ruby Malmoin, Annie Pie, Venus, Lassa, Pucker Up, Ruth Ann.

Third race—Six furlongs:
Hermitzer (Sands) $ 8 20 5 60 4.
Dewdrop (Mason) 4 00
Tried and True (Hartman) 3 00
Time, 1:14 3-5. Also ran: New Orleans, Vodvodka, Scalped, White Hall, Lazer Russell, Bickrill, Kim, Battle Ann, Whipper, Fair Ann, Cassie.

Fourth race—Mile and seventy yards, claiming:
Pacific Marble (Sun) $12 00 6 80 4.
Sunshine (Barnes) 5 00 4 00
Eugene S. (Phelan) 3 00
Time, 1:48 1-5. Also ran: Nemesis, Buccaneer, Scrutiny, Tiffin, Dreamaire, Apollo.

Fifth race—Mile and seventy yards:
Angelena (Rentsch) $22 00 $14 00 $4 00
Ruth Ann (Mellman) 8 00 4 00
Ada (Brickman) 3 00
Time, 1:48 3-5. Also ran: Silver Kid, Yodvodka, Scalped, White Hall, Lazer Lassenquent, Mary Malmoin, Parisian Belle, Ruth Ann, Cassie, Bacchanal, Venus, Miss Cross Knight, Bernadine.

Sixth race—Mile and a sixteenth:
J. F. O'Malley (Barnes) $22 00 $14 00 $6 00
Fire M (Clancy) 8 00 3 40
Ruth Ann (Mellman) 3 00
Time, 1:51 3-5. Also ran: Crystal, Bright Ballerini, Tachinoman, Bandy Boy, Indian Trade Scratched: Miss Marjorie, Lady Mojito, Cow Cash, Aneraum, Power Star, Sunset Prince, Ruth Ann.

Seventh race—Mile and a sixteenth:
Chilean Boy (McGuire) $23 00 $14 00 $6 00
Bit Black Bird (Sun) 8 00 4 00
Matilda (Hartley) 4 00
Time, 1:51 1-5. Also ran: Barry Gordon, Sunny Pal, Bonjiwanda, El Cacique, Francesca, Odd Fellow, Dam Block, Bellhop, Billy Warren, Purchase, Dual Control, Devonia, Blind Salomon's Seal, Petach.

OVERNIGHT EVENTS

First race—Four and a half furlongs:
Fairtrade 109
Diana Mullen 113
Ruth Ann 113
Money Cloud 113
Sun Palatine 113
Mabel Bell 113
Ruth Ann 113
Harwood 113
Flora Lotta 113
Clapture 113
Jack Adams 113
Dauntless 113
Merry Mack 113
Miss Fort 113
Bigbloo 113
Time Ball 113
Second race—Six furlongs:
Sambola 113
Benin Way 113
Deep Wrath 113
Chaldon 113
Chief 113
Cheap 113
The Worker 113
Wanda Blue 113
Ruth Ann 113
J. A. Weil 113
Falling 113
Third race—Maidens, mile and seventy yards:
Cactus 113
Gallop 113
Moven 113
Hope Hampton 113
Ruth Ann 113
Adam Stone 113
Cross Lady 113
Sun Deserter 113
Sam Drees 113
Ruth Ann 113
Bitter Praise 113
Harry Byrd 113
Brewster 113
Tramar 113
Ruth Ann Clare 113
Judge Brand 113
Fourth race—Mile and a sixteenth:
Stewart Hanley 113
Evector 113
Brownville United 113
West Ham United 113
Birmingham 113
Nottingham Forest 113
Middlesbrough Town 113
Bradford City 113
Portsmouth 113
Sunny Boy 113
Bury 113
Sheffield City 113
Second Division
Grimsby Town 113
Middlesbrough 113
Hull City 113
Southampton 113
Stoke City 113
Bradford 113
West Ham Union 113
Chelsea 113
Wolverhampton 113
Millwall Athletic 113
Stoke Forest 113
Tottenham Hotspur 113
Port Vale 113
Fulham 113
Wolver Wanderers 113
Blackpool 113
Swansea Town 113
Leeds 113
Bradford 113
Blue 113
Oldham Athletic 113
Port Vale 113
Charlton Orient 113
Third Division—Southern
Northampton 113
Queens Pk Rangers 113
Luton Town 113
Bristol Rovers 113
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Fulham 113
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PIGEON RACE IS WON BY RELIANCE

Navley Bird Cops Honors in First Event of Season Staged by Victoria and District Club

Reliance, a cowrie bird owned by J. Stewart, led the pigeons home in the first race of the season held by the Victoria and District Racing Pigeon Club Saturday. One hundred and forty birds were liberated from Bremerton, Wash., an air line of seventy miles, at 1 o'clock, in a slight rain and a strong southwest wind.

Reliance covered 1,421 yards per minute and completed the distance in 1 hour 24 minutes 32 seconds.

Flying times and yards per minute of the leaders follow

	Time	Yds Per Min
J. Stewart's Reliance	1:24:32	1,421
C. Stewart's Polly Dot	1:36:45	1,246
J. Stewart's Cowrie	1:37:15	1,239
C. Stewart's Dolly	1:38:23	1,226
R. Keeley's Co. Derby	1:38:23	1,226
R. Keeley's Cockney	1:40:24	1,201
J. Dennis's Cut Boy	1:46:15	1,097
J. Dennis's Jimmie	1:46:15	1,097
J. Barrow's Marion	1:47:45	1,081
J. W. Eland's Bill	1:54:16	1,020
Mrs. Stewart's Let Me Have It	1:56:45	998

Two numbers failed to report.

GARAGE LEAGUE TO OPEN MAY 9

Mayor Ansewoh Will Officially Declare Garage Baseball League Open by Tossing First Ball

The Garage Baseball League issues the first ball over the plate promptly at 8 o'clock on Thursday nights at the Royal Athletic Park and on Tuesday evenings at the Willows Park at 6.15 o'clock.

The Imperial Oil Company has donated a large cup which will be symbolic of the league championship. McLennan McFeely & Prior, Limited, is donating another trophy of equal go to the leading batter.

SHAUGHNESSY TO BE SCENE OF CUP MATCH APRIL 27

The second half of the Ritchie Cup match between Shaughnessy Heights Golf Club and the Victoria Golf Club will be played on the Shaughnessy Heights course, April 27. Members of the Victoria Golf Club who desire to take part in the match are asked to phone the secretary at 3528 or the professional at 1848. The local golfers hold an eighteen-point lead from the last match at the Oak Bay links.

Barrister as Bow County Court—If women controlled their tongues half of us would be out of work.

Present Standing of Clubs in Old Country Soccer

(including games of Saturday, April 13)

ENGLISH LEAGUE

	Games					Points
	P	W	L	D	F	A
Sheffield Wednesday	37	24	4	9	89	35
Aston Villa	36	21	4	11	88	35
Leicester City	38	21	5	12	87	44
Huddersfield	38	18	7	13	71	40
Bolton Wanderers	38	18	7	13	67	50
Derby County	38	17	7	14	80	55
Leeds United	37	14	10	13	67	55
Arsenal	37	14	10	13	60	54
Manchester City	39	16	5	18	66	64
Newcastle United	38	15	6	17	72	71
Everton	38	14	7	17	60	63
Sunderland	37	14	7	16	60	63
West Ham United	38	14	7	17	62	80
Birmingham	38	13	8	17	67	79
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Portsmouth	38	11	10	17	63	71
Sunny Boy	38	11	10	17	60	71
Bury	38	13	3	17	67	80
Sheffield City	38	11	6	21	61	87
Second Division						
Grimsby Town	37	21	3	13	77	45
Middlesbrough	37	19	5	13	81	63
Hull City	38	18	5	15	67	55
Southampton	38	18	5	15	67	55
Stoke City	38	16	11	11	67	43
Bradford	38	16	7	15	61	47
West Ham Union	37	17	3	17	73	71
Chelsea	37	15	6	16	72	63
Wolverhampton	38	15	6	17	71	71
Millwall Athletic	38	14	6	17	70	64
Stoke Forest	38	14	6	17	69	71
Tottenham Hotspur	38	13	6	17	66	77
Port Vale	38	13	6	17	60	77
Fulham	38	13	6	17	60	77
Wolver Wanderers	38	14	3	17	74	84
Blackpool	38	13	4	17	72	84
Swansea Town	38	13	4	17	71	80
Leeds	38	13	4	17	67	80
Bradford	38	13	4	17	66	80
Blue	38	13	4	17	60	80
Oldham Athletic	38	14	2	17	60	80
Port Vale	38	13	4	17	60	80
Charlton Orient	38	11	3	18	61	80
Third Division—Southern						
Northampton	39	18	8	11	61	41
Queens Pk Rangers	38	18	7	13	61	49
Luton Town	38	18	6	14	60	60
Bristol Rovers	38	18	6	14	60	60
Crystal Palace	37	16	5	16	72	63
Fulham	37	16	5	16	72	63
Watford	38	16	5	17	71	63
Plymouth Argyle	37	16	4	17	75	66
Portsmouth and B	38	16	4	18	71	66
Reading United	38	15	4	19	75	66
Cardiff	38	14	4	20	71	66
Newport	38	14	4	20	71	66
Bristol Rovers	38	14	4	20	71	66
Bristol Rovers	38	14	4	20	71	66
Torquay United	37	15	3	19	77	77
Merthyr Town	38	14	3	21	77	77
Newport City	37	11	6	20	71	77
Exeter City	38	8	6	24	61	87
Gillingham	38	8	6	24	61	87
Third Division—Northern Section						
Stockport County	38	20	8	10	66	54
Bradford City	38	18	8	12	61	41
Chesterfield	38	18	8	12	61	41
Doncaster Rovers	38	16	10	12	72	68
Lincoln City	38	16	10	12	68	60
Wrexham	38	16	10	12	67	60
Chester United	38	16	10	12	67	60
Tranmere Rovers	38	16	7	15	71	76
South Shields	38	16	7	15	67	70
Rochdale	38	16	7	15	67	70
Barnsley	38	16	7	15	67	70
Rotherham	38	16	7	15	67	70
New Brighton	38	16	7	15	60	66
Crewe Alexandra	37	14	7	16	61	61
Halifax Town	38	14	7	16	58	58
Hartlepools	38	14	7	16	57	58
Rotherham United	38	14	6	18	73	74
Rochdale	38	13	7	18	61	74
Southampton Stanley	38	13	6	19	67	74
Darlington	38	13	6	19	62	85
Nelson	38	13	6	19	61	85
Northwards United	38	12	6	20	57	86
Ashington	38	12	6	20	61	91
SCOTTISH LEAGUE						
First Division						
Rangers	37	24	5	8	87	37
Celtic	37	23	7	7	90	41
Motherwell	37	20	7	10	77	47
Hearts	37	16	6	15	64	60
Aberdeen	37	16	6	15	61	60
St. Mirren	37	16	6	15	60	60
Queen's Park	36	15	10	11	70	60
Falkirk Thistle	36	15	10	11	67	60
Kilmarnock	36	14	10	12	66	61
Hibernians	36	14	10	12	65	61
Dundee	36	14	10	12	64	61
Airdrieonians	36	14	10	12	60	61
Clydebank	36	14	10	12	60	61
Dunfermline	36	14	10	12	60	61
Ayr United	36	13	11	12	62	62
Partick	36	13	11	12	60	62
Raith Rovers	36	14	6	16	69	70
Leith Athletic	36	14	6	16	65	70
Second Division						
Dundee United	36	18	4	14	66	60
Morton	36	18	4	14	66	60
Arbroath	36	18	4	14	66	60
Albion Rovers	36	18	4	14	66	60
Leith Athletic	36	18	4	14	66	60
Bo'ness United	36	18	4	14	66	60
Forfar Athletic	36	18	4	14	66	60
Queen of South	36	18	4	14	60	73
Dundee	36	18	4	14	60	73
Brechin	36	14	10	12	61	60
East Stirling	36	14	10	12	61	60
Dumbarton Ath.	36	14	10	12	60	60
Cowdenbeath	36	11	13	12	60	70
Alloa	36	11	13	12	60	70
King's Park	36	4	18	14	60	61
Clydebank	36	4	18	14	60	61
Arbroath	36	4	18	14	60	61
Dumbarton	36	4	18	14	60	61
Albion	36	4	18	14	60	61

BAKERS WILL MEET SAANICH

Important Midweek Soccer Match Carded Today at the Royal Athletic Park at 2:45 o'Clock

RENNIE & TAYLOR ANXIOUS FOR WIN

With a win necessary to place them on even terms with the Hudson's Bay in the race for the midweek soccer championship, Rennie & Taylor will meet the Saanich United in the only match carded today. The scene of the game will be the Royal Athletic Park, with the kick-off at 2:45 o'clock. Hewison will officiate.

The Bays who will be idle, have a two-points lead over the bakery, and should the lads from the suburban district be successful in tumbling the fast-moving Rennie & Taylor squad, the green and gold will retain their margin of leadership. On the other hand, if the bakers come through with a win, next Tuesday's game with the Hudson's Bay will decide the midweek soccer championship for the 1928-29 season.

The teams will line up as follows:

Rennie & Taylor—Geddes, Gillespie, Newman, Fraser, Wright, Davis; Taylor, McIlmoyl, Nye, Purdy and Davis.

Saanich—Thilled—Restall; Ash, Blanco; Sloniler, Love, Barry; Cann, Hawkes, T. Blanco, Tysoo and Tooby.

Burnley Defeats Huddersfield Town

LONDON, April 16.—Burnley defeated Huddersfield Town by 3 goals to 1 in the Football League First Division soccer match today.

INDIAN PATRIARCH TO VISIT HALIFAX

HALIFAX, N.S., April 16.—Peter Wilmot, of Truro, president of the Micmac Indians in Halifax County is planning a trip to the city next month to see the nights. It will be his first visit to Halifax in seventy years. He is one of the few surviving Micmac Indians who gathered here on the occasion of his late King Edward VII's visit to Halifax when he as Prince of Wales in 1860. Wilmot is now 101 years of age. The other surviving Indians who witnessed the brilliant reception given the royal visitor are: Jim Glode, ninety-nine, of Shubenacadie; Joseph Jeremy, Howe Jeremy, eighty-eight, of Shubenacadie and Mrs. Madeline Williams, ninety-four, of Shubenacadie. The Prince was so impressed with the affection shown him by the Indians that on leaving the city he handed Governor Mulgrave 100 for distribution among them. Wilmot still possesses one of these souvenirs. Following is a copy of the letter written by the Governor:

"Government House, Halifax, August 6, 1860.

"Sir,—I have been requested by His Grace the Duke of Newcastle to acknowledge the address presented by you on behalf of the Micmac Indians, and to express to you the satisfaction with which he recorded the Prince of Wales to see so many of your tribe present on the occasion of His Royal Highness's visit to this city and also to express and affection towards the Queen which you address contained.

"His Royal Highness, before leaving the province, was graciously pleased to place in my hand £50 sterling to be distributed among the Indians present on the occasion of his landing, which sum I have asked Captain Chassier, the Indian commissioner, to distribute

"MULGRAVE

"James Paul, Grand Chief of Micmac Indian Tribe, Shubenacadie."

"Is old Angus a typical Scotchman?"

"Is he? He's saved all his playthings for his second childhood."

Trumbull Says

The Yankees spent most of yesterday reading of Ruth's engagement.

Muldoon-Tunney trophy will be presented today at New York—Many heaves to attend

More American golfers will leave for the Old Country today, including Glenna Collett.

By WALTER TRUMBULL.
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NEW YORK, April 16.—Sport is now growing its spring leaves all over the country, but this happens to be an extra busy day in this city. Not, mind you, pole players of the Volga boatmen, the Yankees spent yesterday reading of Babe Ruth's engagement and other indoor pursuits. If there is a dry track this afternoon, Hugrina and his squad will start in the race for another baseball title.

Winning this year would give them a chance at a third world's championship, which would be unusual, inasmuch as this would be a good start toward a record. Colonel Ruppert has been enjoying himself, but he is said to have promised the other owners that if the Yanks are steadily until 1930, he will then consider retiring.

Somebody was all set to present the Babe with a hat fashioned from an automobile license plate and the fans should have no difficulty telling the Babe apart. Even Miller Huggins Bill Carrigan thought some of adopting the idea for the Red Sox, but was a little afraid that some erudite Boston rooter would begin reciting: "Tell me not in mournful numbers."

Another event in sports scheduled for this city is the presentation of the Muldoon-Tunney trophy at Madison Square Garden. This was postponed from yesterday to avoid conflict with the opening of the baseball season. Life is like that. Tunney will be present, I infer from a letter from Gene is now in Spain having had conquered a large of Northern Africa. This leaves William Muldoon to represent the donors. Africa will be represented by the University of Michigan. The main object in his attendance was to look over the Michigan stadium. Dempsey is fast becoming a stadium expert, with the idea that he may someday build an outdoor fight arena.

I do not know who will make the principal speech at the unveiling of the Muldoon-Tunney trophy, but it is likely that in case of any undue delay, Mr. Muldoon will throw out the first manager. A bullfrog from Jersey will be served at the Garden Club luncheon, after the ceremony, which means a full attendance.

Today also witnesses another exodus of golfers from this city. When the Aquitania sails on board will be Glenna Collett, cruising to play for the women's British title. George Von Elm, Tommy Armour and Bill Mehlhorn, unless his arm is still sore. Mehlhorn intended to sail on the same ship with the Ryder Cup team, but postponed his journey in order that he might take shoulder treatment.

Miss Collett is anxious to try once more for the British title. In 1925, at Troon, the test to Jessie Wethered probably the best woman golfer in the world at that time. Last season Miss Collett reached the fourth round, where both she and the weather had an off day. She has been playing great golf this season.

Also on the Aquitania will sail Maurice Hilary Wilk, the best woman tennis player of the game. It would seem like such an act of providence could keep her from winning at Wimbledon. Here is one tennis title which looks safe from the French.

Proud Father.—There ain't no better young Al's out out for a limitamin.

Mother.—Well, he's done now? Proudy Father.—He's been talking back to your mother.

Discord Shown Among Canadian Girl Athletes

MONTREAL, April 16.—The Star publishes the following: "When the Canadian Ladies' Olympic relay team runs in the athletic carnival at Ottawa tomorrow night it will be for the last time in sport. While none of the big crowd in the forum that night realized it, there were fireworks simmering and bonesaws sawing the heads of the greatest team of lady athletes in Canada or any other country ever sent into world competition. It was a team divided.

"Previous to last night's meet, Miss Myrtle Cook and Kay Griffiths wired their resignations to Miss Hilda Hart, vice-president of the Canadian Ladies' Athletic Club, the organization under which the Olympic ladies trained and developed."

DERBY ENTRANTS DWINDLE RAPIDLY

One Hundred and Twenty-Four Disappear at First Turfett Stage —Mr. Jinks Still Favorite

LONDON, April 16.—The first forfeit stage of the Epsom Derby to be run over the historic mile and a half course on Epsom Downs, June 5, was responsible for the disappearance of 124 entrants, which with the 116 withdrawals yesterday, leaves a potential field of ninety-eight three-year-olds for the classic. The final acceptances, whittling the field to reasonable proportions, will be made on the Tuesday in the week before the race.

Almost all the fancied candidates stood their ground in the latest forfeitures. Major McCalmont, owner of Mr. Jinks, which is slightly in front of other outstanding entrants in the betting, has also accepted with Kingpin, Buffler Somerville Tattersall has Brenz, second public choice, and Eagle-boy, who finished second in the Prince of Wales stakes at Good-wood last year, but was too late to win a race.

Costaki Pacha, the Aga Khan's fine three-year-old, and who has been more or less a bookmaker favorite throughout the Winter, is left in, along with five stablemates. His Majesty has taken out Citron and Cinema and leaves Glastonbury entered.

The Girl (as they dance): "Isn't it a topping floor and a topping band?"

Alty Pinhead: "I was just going to say that. You really must leave me something to talk about."

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LATE BUYING CHECKS SLOW LIQUIDATION

Total of Day's Sales Falls Below 2,400,000—Business and Industrial News Continues Good

BOND MART MAKES IMPRESSIVE GAINS

NEW YORK, April 16.—The continued cheerful tone of business and industrial news brought a little buying into the stock market late in today's session, and checked the drizzling stream of liquidation which began yesterday.

Operations, however, slowed down still further, the day's sales falling off to 2,369,480 shares.

Call money again renewed at 8 per cent, but mounted to 9. Custom smelters dropped the price of copper metal to 18 cents a pound, but little moved at that price. Anaconda after selling off 2 1-2 points, closed steady, while Greene Cananea, Kennecott and Chile closed a point or two higher. Granby, however, sold off as much as 8 points, despite a highly favorable 1928 earning report, and Calumet & Arizona was heavy.

American Can sold up 6 points to a record price at 136 1-4 and Continental Can advanced 2 points on reports of substantial increase in earnings. Chrysler, after touching a new low for 1928 at 87 3-4, jumped to 92.

U.S. Steel was heavy, losing about 2 points, although the offer of rights was not announced until after the close. Some of the independent steels, however, made good headway.

Considerable liquidation cropped out in the utilities.

Foreign exchanges were dull, but fairly steady, pending the outcome of the reparations conferences. Sterling cables eased 1-8c to $4.85 13-32.

In one of its most impressive demonstrations of strength since it was depressed by high money rates and the popularity of stocks, the bond market gave solid evidence of underlying improvement. Rails, foreign issues, U.S. Government obligations and the gilt-edged industrials and utilities all share in a general advance in price lists.

(Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)
(All Fractions in Eighths)

	High	Low	Close
Allied Chem	270	273-4	279
Amerada Corpn	23 2	22 9	23-3
Am Can	136	120-1	135-7
Am Car & Fdy	100 4	98 4	95 4
Am For Power	91-2	80-4	90-2
Am Locomotive	120	119	118
Am Smelters	102	100-2	101 2
Am Steel Fdy	66 2	64 7	65 2
Am Sugar	78-9	72 4	78 4
Am Sum Tob	24-4	24 4	24 4
Am Tel & Tel	218	216-2	218-2
Am Tobacco	164	160	164
Am Tobacco B	167	165	167
Am Woolens	30	20	28
Anaconda	123 1	125 6	120
Armour A	12 5	12 5	12-5
Ass'd Dry Goods	52 5	52 4	52 5
Atlantic Gulf	47 4	47	47-1
Atlantic Refinery	50	57 5	57 5
Atchison	192	190	189
Baltimore & Ohio	123 4	122 4	122-4
Barber A Art'l k	60	35	60
Barnsdall A	44 5	43 7	44-1
Bethlehem Steel	111 1	109 5	110-9
Brooklyn Manhat	65 4	64 2	64 6
California Packing	74 2	74 1	74-2
Calumet & Ariz	124	121-5	122
Calumet & Hecla	40 1	44 2	44 4
Can Dry Ginger Ale	83	88	82
Canadian Pacific	235 9	232 4	234
Cerro De Pasco	96	98 4	96-4
Certainteed Prod	24 7	24 4	24-4
Chesapeake & Ohio	222	222	222
Chile Copper	100-2	20 2	98 4
Chic Gt Western	15	15	15
Chic Mil & St P	32 4	32-4	32 4
Chic & Northwest	84	84	84
Chic, R I & Pac	132 5	122 6	122 9
Chrysler Motor	92	80 1	92
Coca Cola	130 4	130 2	130-4
Congoleum Nairn	24 2	24 5	24 9
Colo Fuel & Iron	64 4	64	64 4
Columbia Gas	139 2	130 9	139 9
Col Graph'one Co	68 2	67	68
Cons Gas	102 7	101 2	102 8
Cont Motor	19-7	19 4	12 9
Corn Products	90	89	90
Crucible Steel	87 4	87-3	87-3
Curtiss Aero	156-2	145 2	145 2
Den Rio Grande	65	65	65
Dupont Powder	177	176 2	177
Eastman Kodak	172	172	172
Elec Power	62	61-7	62
Elec Storage Battery	21 4	2' 1	2' 3
Erie	71-2	60 4	70-2
Famous Players	66	62 2	64
Foundation Co	54-2	54 6	54 3
Fox Film A	62 0	62-9	62 9
Fleischmann Co	72 4	71-7	72-3
Freeport, Texas	46 2	46	45 3
Gabriel Snubbers	22	22	21
General Am Tank	68 2	66 2	68 3
General Asphalt	78 4	78 1	77
General Electric	226-4	221 1	222 4
General Motors	84-2	82-2	84 2
General Ry Signal	20-2	97	27 7
Gold Dust	65 2	64-1	65-3
Goodrich Rubber	29	67	67
Graham Paige	41 6	40 2	40-7
Granby	67	62	63 2
Great North Ore	30 6	29 9	32 2
Great North pfd	103 2	103 2	103 6
Gt West Sugar	38 4	38	32
Greene Cananea	159	158 4	158
Gulf States Steel	64-1	60 1	24-1
Hahn Dept Stores	42 2	42 5	48-5
Houston Oil	101 7	99-6	101
Howe Sound	60-1	55	99
Hudson Motor	88 7	80 4	85 2
Hupp Motors	57-2	60 1	53 2
Illinois Central	130 4	130-4	103-4
Imperial Oil	117 4	112	118
Inspiration	40-2	40-1	40-2
Int Comb Eng	74 7	72-4	72 2
Int Harvester	107	100 4	106-2
Int Merch pfd	35	34-2	34 2
Int Paper "C"	14 2	14 2	14 9
Int Pete	53	60	53
Int Nickel	47 4	40-4	47-3
Int Tel & Tel	242 2	240	240
Johns-Manville	175 4	177	170 6
Kan City South	83 5	82	83
Kelvinator	15	14 7	19
Kennecott Copper	82 7	81 5	82-3
Kolster Radio	30-5	30-4	30 4
Lehigh Valley	91 4	91 4	91 4
Louis & Nash	143	140	146
Mack Truck	102-3	102	103 3
Marland Oil	42	42 2	42
Mart'n Rockwell	72	72	72
Maytag Co	33	33	33
Mid Cont'nt Pete	35	34-6	34-7
Miss Pacific	79-4	79	79
Miss Pacific pfd	132	132	132
Montgomery Ward	130 1	112	110 6
Mt Products	19-4	19 2	15 4
Nash Motors	90	90 6	95 2
National Biscuit	182 4	183-4	182 4
Natl Cash Reg	123	122-5	122-7
Natl Dairy Prod	127-2	127	127 2
Natl Power & Light	48-4	48	48
N Y Air Brake	47	47	47
Norfolk & West	194	193 4	195-4
North American	102-2	100-5	101 7
Northern Pacific	102	102	102
N Y Central	182 4	181-5	181-5
N Y N H & Hart	92-5	90-5	91-5
N Y Ont & West	25-5	25 5	25 5
Packard Motor	137 4	135 4	137 4
Pan American B	61 4	60-5	60-7
Pathe com	11 2	10-7	11
Pennsylvania R R	76-4	76-1	76-2
Pere Marquette	148	153	153
Phelps Dodge	71	71	71
Phillips Pete	42 7	40 1	42 4
Pierce Arrow	60 1	20	20
Postum Co	69 5	67-4	69 5
Producers & Ref	83-6	22 2	22 2
Public Ser of N J	79-5	79	78
Pullman Co	82 2	81 4	81 4
Radio	94-7	93 2	94 6
Reading	105-9	105	105 6
Reo Motors	28 5	28 1	28 6
Rep Iron & Steel	98 7	95-2	98 2
Royal Dutch	53-1	52-2	52-7
Schultz	29 4	27	27
Sears Roebuck	147-9	147 9	147-8
Shattuck-Denn	20 1	20 1	20 1
Shell Union	21-2	20-4	20 9
Simmons Co	88	83 6	83 2
Sinclair Cons	30-3	38-4	38 7
S Cal Edison	56-7	56 7	59 7
Southern Pacific	122	122	126
Southern Railway	144-7	144	144
Standard Milling	114 2	114 9	114-2
Standard Gas	86	85-2	86
Standard Oil Cal	79 2	78 7	79
Standard Oil N J	60	59	59 4
Standard Oil N Y	43 2	43 2	43 7
Standard Oil Ind	59	58	52
Stewart Warner	66-4	66 1	66 1
St Louis & S Fran	112-2	112-6	112 9
Stromberg Carb	84	82 5	82 5
Studebaker	82-2	81-1	81 9
Texas Co	66 5	65 5	66
Texas Gulf Sulphur	81-7	80 4	80 6
Timken Roller	90 7	90 4	90 6
Tobacco Prod	17 0	18-7	19 7
Union Oil of Cal	57 2	56	57-2
Union Pacific	214	217 2	210
U S Cast I Pipe	42	42	42
U S Ind Alco	151	197	150
U S Rubber	53 7	53 5	53 7
U S Steel	187 4	184 2	184 2
Underwood Typ	115 2	114 2	114 2
Union Carbide	218-4	215	218 4
Util Power & Light	41-5	41	41 5
Vacuum Oil	126	126	126
Vanadium	94 7	97-1	97 2
Wabash	85-4	85-4	85 4
Westing Air Brake	48 2	48 1	48 5
Westing Elec	147-7	146 2	147
White Motor	47 3	17 4	47-4
Willys-Overland	25 2	25 4	25 5
Woolworth	212-4	211 4	212 4
Wright Aer Cpn	223 4	221	223 4
Yale Towne	67 4	67 4	67 4
Yellow Sh & Tu	120 1	126 7	160
Yel Tr'k & Coach	46-2	45 2	49-2

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, April 16.—Foreign exchanges easy.

France—3 90 3-16; cables 3 90%
Italy—5 23½; cables 5 23¼
Belgium—13 90
Germany—23 80
Holland—40 12
Norway—26 60
Sweden—26 71
Denmark—26 65
Switzerland—19 24¼
Spain—14 00
Greece—1 29¼
Poland—1125
Czechoslovakia—2.96⅛
Jugoslavia—1 75
Austria—1405
Rumania—60¼
Argentine—42 12½
Brazil—11 90
Tokio—44 00
Shanghai—61 90
Montreal—99 12½

STERLING EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, April 16.—Demand 485⅜; cables 485 13-32; sixty-day bills on banks 480⅜.

MONTREAL STOCKS

(Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)
(All Fractions in Eighths)

	High	Low	Close
Alta Pacific Grain	40	40	40
Abitibi	41 4	41	41
Asbestos	12	11 5	11 2
Asbestos pfd	60	35	35
Atlantic Sugar	11-4	11 4	11 4
Ass Breweries	26-4	26 4	26-4
B A Oil	51 4	50 6	58 2
Bell Telephone	166	166	166
Brazilian Trac	58-2	58-4	58-4
B C Fish & Pack	22 2	27	22
Brompton Paper	48 4	48 4	47 4
B C Power "A"	58	58	58
Can Bronze	76	79	76
Can Cement com	30	29	30
Can Cement pfd	96-4	96-4	96-4
Can Car Fdy com	121	124	124
Canada Gypsum	112	110	118
Can S S com	44	44	44
Can S S pfd	98	95	96
Can Cottons	87-4	87-4	87-4
Can Converters	98-4	98-4	98-4
Can Ind Alcohol	35-7	35-7	35-7
Carling Brewing Co	30	28	29
Cons M & S	400	400	400
Dominion Bridge	103 2	102-4	102-6
Dominion Glass	138	138	138
Dominion Textile	97	87	97
Dryden Paper	21	22	24
H'ram Walker	71	71	71
Massey Harris	71-9	71 2	71-2
M-Coll Frontenac	21-2	21	21 6
Montreal Power	102	102	100
National Breweries	124	122 4	122 4
Noranda	52	51-4	51-4
Penmans, Ltd	100	100	100
Power Corpn.	90 4	90 2	90 2
Shawinigan	74-4	73-6	78 2
Steel of Canada	85	55	56
Winnipeg Elec	87-4	83	83

FOREIGN BONDS

(Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Antioquia 7s, 1945, "A"	97¼	83
Argentine 6s, 1957	100⅜	100⅝
Argentine 6s, 1958	99¼	100
Austrian 7s, 1943	102¾	103⅜
Belgian 6s, 1955	99¼	100
Belgian 7s, 1955	107	107½
Belgian 7s, 1956	104¼	106
Brazil 6½'s, 1957	94⅛	95
Buenos Aires 7½'s, 1947	102⅜	103¼
Chile 6s, 1960	92¼	93
Costa Rica 7s, 1951	94	99½
Est Ry 7s, 1954	102½	103
French 7s, 1949	107	107½
French 7½'s, 1941	111¼	111⅝
German 7s, 1949	120¼	109⅝
Hungary 7½'s, 1945	99⅜	100¼
Hugo Stinnes 7s, 1936	97⅜	98¼
Hugo Stinnes 7s, 1969	86¼	90⅜
Italy 7s, 1951	98	99¼
Jap 6½'s, 1954	100⅜	101¼
Nord 6½'s, 1950	121½	102
Polish 6's, 1940	79	79¼
Polish 8's, 1955	90	98¼
Polish 8s, 1950	98	99¼
Seine 7s, 1942	100	104½
Siemens & Hal 6½'s, 1951	100	104¼
Uruguay 6s, 1960	95	98
Uruguay 8s, 1946	100¼	106¼

MONEY MARKETS

LONDON, April 16.—Money 3 3-4 per cent. Discount rates: Short bills 5 3-16 to 5 1-4 per cent; three months' bills 5 1-4 per cent.

AT NEW YORK

NEW YORK, April 16.—Call money firmer, high 9, low 8; ruling rate 8; closing bid 9. Time loans steady; mixed collateral 60-90 days 9 per cent; 4-6 months 8 1-2 to 8 3-4 per cent. prime mercantile paper 5 3-4 to 6 per cent, bankers acceptances unchanged.

Appointed Director of Royal Trust Company

HON. L. A. TASCHEREAU

Was appointed to the board of directors of the Royal Trust Company on April 9. Mr. Taschereau, Premier of the Province of Quebec, is a member of the legal firm of Taschereau, Roy, Cannon, Parent & Taschereau, of Quebec. He was called to the Quebec bar in 1889, of which he was Syndic in 1908 and 1909, and Batonnier in 1911 and 1912. First elected to the Quebec Legislature in 1900, he served as Minister of Public Works and Labor from 1907 to 1919, and became Prime Minister in 1920. He is a LL.L and an LL.D. of Laval University.

NEW YORK STOCK DEALINGS SMALL

Copper Shares Under Heavy Pressure in Early Trading—Rails Steady

NEW YORK, April 16.—The stock market was a rather irregular affair today with transactions again on a small scale. Initial prices were slightly below those at the close of trading yesterday. The copper shares were under heavy pressure in the early dealings influenced by a drop of 3-4 of a cent in the price of domestic metal, with both Anaconda and Kennecott registering new lows in the current move.

United States Steel was another weak spot today, and was forced to absorb steady liquidation in advance of today's special meeting. Rails were steady while the utilities were somewhat neglected with price changes in these groups infinitesimal.

In the industrial group American Can was active and strong throughout the entire session. Around midday the general list developed a somewhat improved tone and some good buying entered the market, particularly in the automotive issues, with Studebaker, Hudson and General Motors registering moderate advances. According to a statement released today General Motors established a new high sales record during the month of March. Transactions in the oil division of the list were on a fairly active scale with a majority of the issues recording gains.

During the past few sessions steady accumulation has taken place in many of the leading oil shares, and buying today was given fresh impetus by the reported decline of approximately 45,000 barrels daily in the domestic crude production last week. In the closing dealings Montgomery-Ward advanced sharply, and the general list exhibited a fairly steady tone at the close. The market, as a general proposition, seems to offer greater resistance to selling pressure, and a rally in prices from this level may be recorded.

METAL MARKETS

LONDON, April 16.—Standard copper, spot £77; futures £74 10s. electrolytic spot £80, futures £84.

Tin, spot £205; futures £205 15s.

Lead, spot £24 7s 6d, futures £24.

Zinc, spot £26 10s, futures £26 5s.

AT NEW YORK

NEW YORK, April 16.—Copper unsettled; electrolytic, spot and futures 16.

Iron steady, unchanged.

Tin steady, spot and futures 45.62.

Lead steady, spot New York 7.00, East St. Louis 6.75 to 6.85.

Zinc quiet, East St. Louis spot and futures 6.65.

Antimony 9.37 to 9.50.

Money at Work

Earning Saving Investing

Some one has said that the only way to get ahead, to accumulate property, is to go into debt.

The debt hanging over one's head is supposed to be an incentive to reduce the obligation. Debts do not reduce themselves. They are wiped out by payment only and payments must be made from savings. The reduction of the debt is, therefore, the objective of saving.

Failure to meet payments on principal and interest affects one's credit. There must be respect for one's obligations, a desire to maintain a credit rating. It matters not whether the obligation is large or small, the principle is the same.

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Victoria Stock Exchange

MINING

	Bid	Asked
Cork Province	14	12
Dalhousie		12
Dunwell	15	
George Copper	7 25	7 75
Glacier Creek		08
Golconda	1 44	1 49
Kootenay Florence		15
Lakeview	01	02
Malaspina		08
National Silver (O.d.)	.12	
Oregon Copper		30
Pend Oreille, com	2 00	2 52
Premier		1 08
Terminus	07	08
UNLISTED		
Beaver	96½	08
Coufield	12 25	
Georgia River		42
C & S Land	58 00	60 00
Stewart Lands		10 00
Wellington	14	19
George Enterprise	22	26
Marmot Gold	02	08
Mohawk		25½

SALES

Malaspina—500 at 10

Whitney Letter

(Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)

NEW YORK, April 16.—Whitney says today: The expected rally in today's session, while delaying itself until late in the day, had at least the advantage of not being tired out by too early a start, and to that extent may be expected to carry well into tomorrow's market after a possible minor setback is encountered as a result of the less than expected terms of steel announcement.

The 9 per cent call money rate is thoroughly justified by the rapidly returning cheques issued for mid-month disbursements, and may even entail the addition of 1 per cent more during the day until the complete absorption of these disbursements. At the end of the week, however, I expect money to be just as low as it was at the end of last week, in addition to which I believe the forthcoming brokers' loans figures, to be issued Thursday night, will show a further decrease of approximately $100,000,000, and by so doing plainly indicate that continued progress is being made in the credit situation.

Market leadership will continue to be found in the oils and steels with a half dozen secondary groups adding their effort to further advance, so that, in spite of the fact that the steel directors have not announced a basis for the new stock quite up to the expectations voiced by a large proportion of speculative Wall Street, and Mr. Hoover's speech contained little if anything of market significance, we will suffer no lack of issues which will show the market how to be higher. The steel announcement is constructive to the the extent that the directors, rather than choosing what would constitute a gesture of generosity, have adhered to good financial practice and accomplished the bond retirement with a minimum of new stock. The Hoover speech is likewise constructive to the extent that, while lacking market incentive, it did contain a rather definite word to Congress that they were called together primarily for only two pieces of legislation, and that, completing both, they were not expected to pay much attention to any of the innumerable proposals designed to legislate against the credit which the stock market is using.

American Can's new record is simply the first step in an advance which I do not believe will undergo any worth-while reaction until it reaches 150. Industrial Alcohol is now across 150, and I expect a new record almost any time, which likewise applies to American Tel. & Tel. General Electric should be bought for the market's biggest advance just so long as it remains within a few points of 255. In the steel group do not overlook Republic Iron & Steel, which has already started on its advance, and Bethlehem Steel, which is just about to start. Continue to buy the Standards of California, New Jersey and New York, Montgomery-Ward between 120 and 122, Texas Gulf Sulphur under 82, Yellow Truck under 50 and U.S. Steel on any temporary dip tomorrow.

Calgary Oil Stocks

(H. E. Hunnings & Co., Ltd.)

Advance	800	5 25	2 00	2 00
Advance	800	2 00	2 50	2 50
A P Cons	2,700	2 75	2 65	2 65
British Dom	600	1 20	1 20	1 30
Calmont	1,070	2 25	2 00	2 25
Dalhousie	240	3 00	2 90	2 90
Devenish	683	1 25	1 65	1 60
Dix-Alta	1,132	1 75	1 75	1 75
McD Segur	1,025	7 00	2 00	7 00
McO S (new)	745	5 00	4 75	4 75
Regent	1,300	00	25	65
Dallas	115	1 40	1 40	1 00
Great West	1,040	95	00	00
McLeod	50	2 00	4 00	2 00
Mid West	200	1 13	1 00	1 05
Mill City	420	7 30	7 25	7 25
Okalta com	00	415 00	416 50	400 00
Royalite	240	150 00	100 00	120 00
Signal Hill	1,545	25	00	25
Spooner	000	2 45	2 40	2 40
Turner Valley	532	1 40	1 25	1 22
United Oils	1,500	12 00	14 50	14 00
Vulcan	20	2 00	2 00	2 00
Eastcrest	600	2 65	2 24	2 25
Model	1,200	00	00	00
Rome Oil	1,800	22 00	20 02	20 22

VICTORY AND WAR LOANS

VICTORY LOAN, 5½%—TAX FREE

Interest due—	Buy	Sell
1933, 1st May & Nov	101 65	102 00
1937, 1st June & Dec	100 70	100 15
WAR LOAN, 5%—TAX FREE		
1931, 1st Apr & Oct	99 75	100 10
1937, 1st Mar & Sept	101 00	102 00
(Payable New York)		
VICTORY LOAN 5½%		
1932, 1st May & Nov	100 40	101 00
1934, 1st May & Nov	100 75	101 25
DOMINION LOAN		
1944, 15th Apr & Oct, 5%	101 10	121 00
1946, 1st Mar & Sept, 4½%	95 65	96 25
1944, 15th Apr & Oct, 4½%	95 95	96 25
1946, 1st Feb & Aug, 4½%	95 95	96 25
1954 1st Feb & Aug (C N R), 5%		Mkt
1954 15th Mar & Sep (C N R), 4½%		Mkt
1957 1st Jan & July (C N R), 4½%		Mkt

Add accrued interest to date

1927, 100 days, 3.065 per $100
1932, 1933, 1934, 100 days, 3.301 per $100
1943, 1 day, 214 per $100
1940, 1 days, 211 per $100
1946, 78 days, 913 per $100

Brokerage rate on Victory and War Loans, ¼ of 1%

NEW YORK SUGAR

NEW YORK, April 16.—Raw sugar was unchanged early today. No sales were reported and prices were unchanged at 3.74 for spots duty paid, with sugars available at this level, but buyers holding off.

Refined was unchanged at 4.90 for fine granulated, with fair withdrawals, but no new business was reported. Some second-hand sugars were still available at below refiners' prices, but these were not being pressed.

U.S. STEEL OFFERS ISSUE OF SHARES

NEW YORK, April 16.—Directors of the United States Steel Corporation today offered shareholders the right to purchase 1,016,605 additional shares of common stock at $140 a share, in the ratio of one new share for each seven shares held. Proceeds of the sales will be used to retire funded debt.

GRANBY PROFITS

NEW YORK, April 16.—Granby Consolidated Mining, Smelting & Power Company, Ltd., had net profit of $1,562,194 in 1928, equal to $3.46 a share. Earnings in 1927 were $96,-206, or 21 cents a share.

Capitol Oil Stock to Be Withdrawn

Wednesday Night, April 17, at Midnight

As the company is now satisfactorily financed, with sufficient cash in the bank to complete three wells, the directors in meeting Monday unanimously decided to withdraw the treasury shares altogether.

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This office will be open Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, and our advice now is to secure what you can of this stock before Wednesday at midnight.

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THE COMPANY—The company, which is an amalgamation of the Growers Wine Company, Ltd., of Victoria, B.C., and the B.C. Wine Growers, Ltd., of Vancouver, B.C., manufactures the well-known brands of loganberry wine under the names of "Vin Soled" and "Logana," at their plants in Victoria and Vancouver from fruit grown by the farmers in these localities. These products are being principally sold to the Liquor Board of British Columbia, and are also in demand in the other provinces of Canada.

ASSETS—Assets per share on the 7% "B" preference equal $143.10 for each $10.00 share.

PRICE: $10.00 a Share, Plus Accrued Dividend at 7%

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These shares are preferred as to cumulative dividends at the rate of 7% per annum, redeemable in whole or in part by the Company by purchase on the market at a price not exceeding 100, or on sixty days' notice at the option of the Company, at a price not exceeding 100 per share.

CAPITALIZATION

	Authorized	Issued
7% Cumulative Redeemable Preference Shares	$475,000.00	$475,000.00
Common Shares (No Par Value)	15,000 sh.	10,000 sh.

Registrar and Transfer Agent: The Royal Trust Company, Edmonton

BUSINESS

McLeod Building Limited has been organized to take over the McLeod Building, situated at the corner of Rice and McDougal Streets, Edmonton, Alberta, and the Company's business is at present confined exclusively to operating and renting the said building. The McLeod Building is one of the best constructed office buildings in Western Canada, and has a waiting list of high-class tenants.

MANAGEMENT

Mr. K. A. McLeod, the previous owner of the McLeod Building, has taken a large financial interest in the Company, and has agreed to be President of the Company. The management will be in the hands of experts, and the service and efficiency which has made the building a success will be maintained.

ASSETS

Land, building and equipment has been valued by the Canadian Appraisal Co. on March 20th, 1929, at	$1,439,646.00
Working Capital, being cash on hand	15,000.00
TOTAL ASSETS	$1,454,646.00
Mortgage to the City of Edmonton at 5%, repayable in 25 years	350,000.00
Net Assets as security for the Preferred Shares	$1,104,646.00

This is equivalent to $232.56 for every $100.00 Preferred Share.

EARNINGS

As shown by the Auditor's report, the earnings from McLeod Building for the past eight years averaged $67,211.36, and in 1928 the net earnings amounted to $77,232.56 after deducting operating expense, maintenance and taxes. This is equivalent to 1¾ times the Preferred dividend requirements, and also shows earnings of over $1.00 per share on the Common.

The management is confident that the Company's net earnings for 1929 will amount to approximately $100,000, which would be sufficient to pay over $3.00 per share on the Common. The Common stock has a book value of $60.00 per share.

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FINANCE - COMMERCE - MARKETS

CLOSING RALLY HALTS DECLINE

General Trend of Day Is Downward in Both Oils and Mines—Oils, Nevertheless, in Good Demand

GEORGE COPPER AND BIG MISSOURI FIRM

VANCOUVER, April 16.—Lack of constructive news from the oil fields, together with bear drives, forced all issues downward on the Stock Exchange this morning, but a belated rally in the closing session checked the easier trend and lifted values more in line with Monday's close. In the mines also the general trend was downward with a marked slackening in the demand, in contrast to oils which were taken up freely.

Home Oil, starting at $22, a dollar weaker, sold down to $20.25 and finished at $20.75 bid for a net loss of $1.25. A.P. Consolidated, a heavy trader, moved between an opening at $3.70, unchanged, down to $3.53, closing 13c lower at $3.75. Dalhousie was 15c weaker at the start, sold down to $5.50 and came back to close 35c lower at $5.80, with little of the stock offered. Royalite lost $8 to $150 on a small trade and United Oil fell back $1.50 to $14. Mill City was off $1.25 to $6.50. Calmont was the only active issue to move up, finishing 5c stronger at $3.10. Losses in the balance of the list ranged from 10c to 70c.

George Copper was the strongest performer in the mines, closing unchanged at $7.50. Pend Oreille fell back $1.60 to close at $7, while Reeves McDonald lost 25c to $3.25. Grandview was 1-2c lower at 45 1-2c, and Golconda, down 5c, at $1.25. Big Missouri held steady, while the balance of the list was little changed.

(B.C. Bond Corporation, Ltd.)

MINING

	Bid	Asked
B.C. Silver		1 15
Bayview	.05	.05½
Beaver Silver	.00	.00
Big Missouri	1 12	1 10
Bowena Copper	.07	.00
Cork Province	.12	.12
Cotton Belt	.06	.73
Dalhousie	.07	.10
Duthie	.20	
George Copper		7 00
Georgia River	.05	.43
Golconda	1 23	1 05
Grandview	.40	.40
Independence	.00	.00½
Indian	.06½	
International C. & C.		.23
Kootenay Florence	.14	.10
Kootenay King	.47	.43
L. & L.		.03½
Lucky Jim	.14	.12
Mohawk		.05
Marmot River Gold	.07	.07½
Marmot Metals		.00½
National Silver (OS)		.17
Noble Five	.00	.00
Orrace Copper	.04	.00
Pend Oreille, com	7 00	7 00
Planet		.00
Premier	1 00	1 00
Porter-Idaho		.51
Reeves-McDonald	3 00	3 40
Rufus-Argenta	.25	.27
Ruth-Hope	.06	.44
Silvercrest	.07½	.00
Silvercup		.27
Silverado	.00	.70
Silversmith	.10	.14
Slocan Rambler	.21½	.22
Snowflake	.03	.34
Sunloch	2 00	2 00
Topley Richfield	.33	.34
Wellington		.10
Whitewater, com	1 00	1.05
Woodbine	.04	.00
MISCELLANEOUS OILS		
Advance	6 73	0 00
A.P. Consolidated	3 27	3 40
B.C. Montana	.00 1-16	.00¼
Calmont	3 10	0 00
Dalhousie	5 00	6 00
Devenish	1 12	1.15
Fabyan	.14	.16½
Home	20 75	21 00
Illinois-Alberta	1 70	1 75
Mayland	8.50	6 53
McLeod	3 75	5 00
McDougall Segur (new)	3 15	6 25
Royalite	100.00	100 00

MORNING SALES

Advance Oil—335 at 0 00, 200 at 6 10; 100 at 6 10, 200 at 6 25, 800 at 6 00, 700 at 6 00.

A.P. Consolidated—600 at 3.55, 200 at 3 54, 3,000 at 3 55, 200 at 3 53, 150 at 3 57, 00 at 3.50, 000 at 3 00, 7,130 at 3 00, 000 at 3.61, 1,500 at 3 63, 635 at 3 63, 300 at 3 44, 3,240 at 3 00, 1,000 at 3 70.

B.C. Montana—50,000 at .00 1-16, 20,000 at .00½.

Calmont Oil—100 at 3 03, 400 at 6 00, 13,025 at 3 00, 3,100 at 3 00, 110 at 3 10.

Fabyan Pete—3,000 at 14, 1,000 at 14¼, 3,000 at 15, 100 at 16½.

Dalhousie Oil—300 at 3 00, 300 at 5 00, 100 at 5 60, 300 at 5 00, 100 at 5 70, 600 at 5 00, 600 at 3 00, 600 at 5.00, 1,700 at 6.00, 600 at 6 00, 5 at 6 10.

Devenish Pete—300 at 1 15; 3,066 at 1 20, 600 at 1 22.

Freehold—1,000 at 1 70, 50 at 1 70.

Hargal Oil—5,200 at 1.60, 230 at 1 00, 270 at 1 00, 540 at 1.70, 25 at 1.75.

Commonwealth—1,000 at 1 00.

Home Oil—845 at 00 00, 306 at 20 75, 100 at 21 00, 300 at 21 25, 700 at 21 00, 150 at 22 00, 00 at 22 00.

Mayland Oil—100 at 6 00, 00 at 8.00; 00 at 6 00, 50 at 6 70; 225 at 3 75, 800 at 8.00, 500 at 6 00.

McLeod Oil—100 at 5 00; 300 at 6 05, 100 at 5 75, 00 at 5 00, 620 at 6 00, 500 at 6 15; 500 at 3 25.

McDougall Segur (old)—100 at 6 00, 250 at 7 00, 300 at 7 10.

McDougall Segur (new)—1,000 at 4 25, 325 at 4 30; 100 at 4.00, 20 at 6 00, 00 at 5 15, 100 at 6 00.

Vulcan Oil—400 at 6 00.

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Regent Oil—1,000 at .00; 00 at .03.

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Royalite—00 at 100 00.

Spooner—200 at 2 45, 200 at 2 00.

Sterling—100 at 1 95; 1,100 at 2 00, 100 at 2 01, 300 at 2 00, 100 at 2 10, 700 at 2 15.

United Oils—516 at 14 00, 100 at 14.00, 70 at 14 70, 0 at 15 00.

Vulcan Oil—200 at 3 23.

British Dominion—100 at 1 17; 300 at 1 00.

Associated Oil—200 at 4 00, 100 at 0 00.

Commonwealth—500 at 1.00.

Dallas Oil—300 at 1 06.

Midwest—300 at 1 00.

Mill City—135 at 7 00.

Mercury—500 at 1 34, 6,000 at 1 36, 500 at 1 37; 00 at 1 50, 200 at 1 00, 25 at 1 40.

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tion totaled approximately 133,460 cars, which compares with 102,930 cars for the corresponding period of last year. Earnings for the first quarter showed a substantial gain over the corresponding period of last year, and, unless there is an important change in the situation, Hudson will probably work well above 100 before the middle of this year.

Mexican Seaboard—Seems to have turned definitely upward again. We have seen high-calibre buying in this stock, based upon substantial earnings to result from the development of the company's California properties. We would follow strength and activity in this stock.

MORNING STOCK LETTER

Customs smelters offered copper at 18 1-2 cents a pound in the domestic market yesterday afternoon, and it is reported that no buying developed at the new price. It is, of course, admitted that if the price of copper were to be stabilized around 18 cents, the leading producers would have absolutely no difficulty in reporting very satisfactory returns, but, so long as there is uncertainty as to the extent of the present decline in the metal, and so long as there is a lack of evidence to show that the price is being stabilized, there is likely to be irregularity in the copper stocks and a lack of buying demand for them.

While the tone of the call market yesterday was fairly easy, it is believed in some quarters that there may be a temporary tightness a little later in the week. It is difficult to discern any particular change in market conditions so far as the general run of industrial stocks is concerned, and we believe that strength would attract selling rather than fresh buying. In other words, the dominant idea among the rank and file apparently is to lighten long positions on all favorable opportunities and to endeavor to maintain fairly liquid positions. There is also a growing belief, we think, that the optimistic industrial news, which has been featured practically without interruption since the first of the year, has had its effect marketwise, and, consequently, such factors as heavy automobile production and high rate of operations at the steel mills no longer attract any particular buying demand for the issues directly affected.

BULL MOVEMENT IN WHEAT ENDS

WINNIPEG MARKET EXTREMELY WEAK WITH GENERAL LIQUIDATION

Cash Market Continues Slow—No Feature to Export Business—Coarse Grains Lose Ground

(Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)

WINNIPEG, April 16.—Wheat: The bull movement in wheat came to an end today, at least for the time being, the market being extremely weak, with general liquidation of long wheat going on most of the day, which found a very poor support, there being no shorts in this market and export sales being very small.

Seaboard houses took a little wheat at the start, but the volume was insignificant, and about the only support appeared to be buying against daily bids, with a little profit-taking from time to time. There was some selling by New York and other American interests, but there is considerably more liquidation of this class still to take place. One of the bearish features appeared to be in the farm relief legislation, now before Congress, which was regarded as not up to expectations.

Another feature was the fact that there are 40,000,000 bushels of wheat in Kansas elevators, with millions still to come off the farms, with little room to store it. It appears to be simply a case of overproduction, while North American prices have continued sufficiently high to be out of line for big export business.

The cash market continued slow. Some odd lots of Nos. 4 and 8 traded at 1-4 better, but spreads generally unchanged. There was no feature to the export business, which was very small overnight. Light showers were general over a wide area of Western Canada, and further showers are forecast for Saskatchewan and Alberta today. The drought situation has been pretty well relieved and there is nothing to worry about for the next few weeks at least.

Coarse Grains—These markets all lost ground heavily, the extreme weakness in wheat bringing liquidation into all markets. Demand today both from seaboard and domestic channels was very slow.

Flax—Market declined in sympathy with the general weakness in the grain list, but the selling pressure was not so pronounced.

FUTURES

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
May	130⅝	128¼	123⅛	123⅛
July	130⅝	130⅝	129⅝	105⅜
Oct	130⅛	100⅛	125⅝	125⅛
Oats—				
May	60¼	53⅛	51⅛	61⅝
July	56⅝	54⅝	50⅛	52⅜
Oct	53⅝	53⅝	50⅛	00⅛
Rye—				
May	104⅛	104⅛	100⅛	102⅛
July	100⅛	100⅛	102	102
Oct	103⅛	103⅛	101	101⅝
Barley—				
May	74⅝	74⅝	72	72
July	75⅝	75⅝	75⅛	70⅝
Oct	71⅝	71⅝	70⅛	70⅝
Flax—				
May	205⅛	205⅛	204⅛	204⅛
July	205⅛	205⅛	203⅛	200⅛

CASH GRAIN CLOSE

Wheat—1 Nor. 123⅞, 2 Nor. 118⅝, 3 Nor. 114⅝, No 4, 100⅝, No 5, 100, No 6, 04; feed, 71; track, 122.

Oats—2 cw. 55⅝, 3 cw. 53⅛, extra 1 feed 48⅝, 1 feed, 46⅛, 2 feed, 45⅝; rejected, 50⅛; track 53⅝.

Barley—2 cw. 72⅛, 4 cw. 68⅝, rejected, 67⅛, feed, 64⅛, track, 72⅛.

Flax—1 nwc. 200⅝, 2 cw. 196⅛, 3 cw. 190⅛, rejected, 190⅛, track, 204.

Rye—1 cw. 100, 2 cw. 100, 3 cw. 98⅝, rejected, 92⅛, track, 103.

LIVERPOOL

Open—⅝ off.

Close—1⅛ to 1⅛ off.

MONTREAL PRODUCE

MONTREAL, April 16.—Butter easier; cheese and eggs unchanged.

Cheese—Westerns, 22 1-2.

Butter—No. 1 Pasteurized, 43.

Eggs—Fresh extras, 34; fresh firsts, 32.

Eastern Markets

News and Comment on Business Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co. (Victoria), Limited

WALL STREET MIRROR

In the face of several constructive factors which made their appearance over the week-end the market has turned soft again. It does not appear able to break out of its trading area on the upside. Strength in the oils, which was conspicuous at the close of last week, again has made its appearance, but without attracting much of a public following. In fact the dullness we are witnessing will do more to discourage speculation than any sharp open break could. Further slowing down in trading will find weak, tired-out holders with good sized losses dropping overboard regularly.

Oils and steels appear for the time being to be the only issues which want to advance. Bullish information can be had regarding both groups, but the irregularity in the other sections of the list is putting a damper on trading in both oils and steels. The Standard Oil group on the Stock Exchange, which includes New Jersey, New York and California, are well liked in banking quarters, while Pan American "B" is the speculative leader for the time being.

STOCK OPINIONS

Prince & Whitely—Business is too good to become bearish, but the forces opposing an advance in the market are too strong to compete with, and, therefore, it appears best to take a long pull viewpoint when making present purchases.

E. F. Hutton & Co.—We still feel that stocks are likely to turn reactionary after the steel news, though for the long pull we feel the bull market in good issues will gradually become re-established.

Hornblower & Weeks—Steels as a group are enjoying such favorable industrial developments that we feel U.S. Steel will be the market leader and we continue to favor Bethlehem Steel and Republic.

TRADING ITEMS

Hudson Motors—Up to the week ending April 13, Hudson's produc-

Latest News From Wall Street

(Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)

It was a stale and uninteresting stock market from every angle yesterday. Trading fell below the three million shares mark, the turnover being the smallest for any day this year, and except for a moderate but unconvincing rally that developed during the session, there was nothing to hold the attention of the tape watchers. Wall Street has heard rumors of a number of large deals pending, which should be reflected in an active market in the stocks concerned, but if this be true, it is apparent the individuals behind the scheduled moves have postponed action until some more auspicious time.

Daily average crude oil production in week ended April 13 decreased 44,738 barrels, to 3,616,082 barrels, according to Oil and Gas Journal.

American Smelting & Refining Corporation has reduced the price of lead fifteen points to seven cents a pound.

The Humble Oil and Refining Corporation has increased the posted price on salt flat crude twenty cents a barrel, to $1.

At annual meeting of Graham-Paige stockholders, increase in authorized common from 3,000,000 to 3,600,000 shares was approved.

D. A. Schulte, president of Schulte Retail Stores, says no more dividends should be paid until we make money out of the new departments.

Export copper price reduced to 18.30 cents from 19¼ cents. Domestic copper offered at 18½ cents a pound; off ¼ cent.

Lead price reduced 15 points to seven points a pound, New York. Lead ore price reduced $7.50 a ton, to $92.50 f.o.b. Joplin, Mo.

Robert Reiss & Co. combined gross sales for quarter ended March 31 were $1,728,811, not including sales for agency accounts which included in last year's figures of $1,843,694 for first quarter.

Dr. Jos. J. Klein, income tax expert, interprets decision of I.R.T. by the Commissioner of Internal Revenue in the April 8 issue of Interest Bulletin as meaning that "Rights" received recently by owners of New York Stock Exchange seats are taxable only upon sale of said rights and then only if a profit is realized, based on original cost of seat.

Total new insurance business for first quarter of 1929 was $3,167,287,000, against $2,945,125,000 in 1928 quarter, and new business in March $1,169,881,000, against $1,112,659,000 in March, 1928, according to Association of Life Insurance Presidents.

Manitoba Legislature adopts resolution assigning White Mud Falls 600,000 h.p. site on Nelson River to British Dominion Power Company. Development work is to be started this coming Summer.

Retail Prices

(Revised April 17, 1929)

DAIRY PRODUCE

Butter—	
Best Alberta, cartons	.38
Comox, lb.	.00
Cowichan Creamery, per lb.	.00
Salt Spring Island, lb.	.00
Handipats, lb.	.38
Our Own Brand, lb.	.00
New Zealand Creamery, lb.	.00
Alberta, bulk, 10, 15, or 8 lbs.	1.46
Eggs—	
B.C. Fresh, extras	.33
B.C. Fresh, firsts	.30
Pullets, extras	.28
Cheese—	
B.C. Cream Cheese, lb.	.00
B.C. Solids, lb.	.00
Finest Ontario, mild, per lb.	.33
Finest Ontario, matured, lb.	.00
Edam Dutch Cheese, lb.	.00
Gouda Cheese, per lb.	.00
Gorgonzola, per lb.	.00
Swiss Gruyere, in portions, box	.30
English Stilton, lb.	.00
Imported Roquefort, lb.	.00
Eagle Brand Camembert, box	.00
Circle Brand Breakfast Cheese	.00
Kraft, lb.	.43
Golden Loaf,	.00
R.A. Loaf	.40
MEATS	
Pork—	
Trimmed Loins, per lb.	.35
Shoulder Roasts, per lb.	.30
Legs, per lb.	.30
Pork Sausages, per lb.	.30
No. 1 Beef—	
Sirloin Steaks, per lb.	.40 to .00
Round Steaks, per lb.	.30 to .35
Pot Roasts, per lb.	.20 to .25
Rump Roasts, per lb.	.00
Veal—	
Shoulders, per lb.	.30
Legs, lb.	.00
Roasts, lb.	.30
Spring Lamb—	
Shoulders, per lb.	.33
Legs, per lb.	.43
Rabbits, local, per lb.	.30
Ham, lb.	.35 to .00
Bacon, lb.	.00 to .00

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Wholesale Row

(Revised April 17, 1929)

Tokay Grapes, lb.		.18
Red Emperor Grapes, lb.		.20
MEAT		
Beef, No. 1 Steer, per lb.		.18
Beef, Cow, per lb.		.17
Veal, per lb.	.20 to	.24
Hogs, per lb.		.00½
Shoulders, per lb.		.21
Loins, per lb.		.28
Legs, per lb.		.27
Breakers, per lb.		.28
Lamb, per lb.		.00
Tongues, per lb.	.22 to	.24
Liver, per lb.		.17
Ham, per lb.	.20 to	.33
FISH		
Haddies, per lb.		.18
Fillets, O.S., per lb.		.20
Fillets, Jumbo, per lb.		.21
Scottish-cured, per lb.		.20
Sunrise Fillets, per lb.		.17
Eastern Kippers	40's, 0.00; 60's	2.70
Digby Chix, box		.26
POULTRY		
Fowl, per lb.	.20 to	.33
Broilers		.33
Chicken, per lb.	.27 to	.00
Duck, per lb.		.33
Turkey, per lb.	.38	.47
Geese, per lb.		.28
EGGS		
B.C. Extras, doz.		.29
B.C. Firsts, doz.		.00
Pullets, doz.		.24
DAIRY PRODUCE, ETC.		
Butter—		
Best Cartons, 1's and ½'s		.00
Best Prints, 1's only		.06
6 and 3-lb. Blocks		.06
No. 2 Cartons		.43
No. 2 Prints		.41
Finest Solids		.42
First Grade		.41½
Lard, tierce, per lb.		.16½
Lard, other kinds	.17	.18
Shortening, tierce, lb.		.15½
Shortening, other kinds, lb.	.16½	.17
Cheese		.00
Cheese, twins, per lb.		.20½
Cheese, triplets, per lb.		.20
Cheese, Stilton, per lb.		.51
Cheese, solid milk, per lb.		.26
Edam Dutch Cheese, per lb.		.06
Goda Cheese, per lb.		.06
Gouda Cheese, per lb.		.06
Gorgonzola, per lb.		.00
Swiss Gruyere, in portions, box		.20
English Stilton, per lb.		.30
Imported Roquefort, per lb.		.30
Eagle Brand, Camembert, box		.00
Circle Brand Breakfast Cheese		.40

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Hubbard Squash, per lb.		.00
Hothouse Tomatoes, No. 1		3.50
Hothouse Tomatoes, No. 2		4.50
NUTS		
Almonds, per lb.		.30
Manchurian walnuts, per lb.		.14
California walnuts, per lb.	.28	.30
Chestnuts, per lb.	.10	.11
Roasted peanuts		.13
Popping corn, per lb.		.10
FLOUR		
Purity		3 00
Five Roses		3 00
Maple Leaf		3 35
Royal Standard		3 00
R. & R. Pastry		3 00
Whole Wheat		3 00
Quaker Flour		3 00
Robin Hood		3 00

MR. BRANSON NEW BOND MEN'S HEAD

Mr. C. L. H. Branson, head of the financial house of Branson, Brown & Co., has been chosen by the members of the Victoria Bond Dealers' Association as their president for this year, to succeed the late Major J. Hebden Gillespie.

Mr. Vincent McKenna, of the firm of Gillespie, Hart & Todd, was elected to the post of secretary.

SILVER MARKETS

LONDON, April 16.—Bar silver per ounce 25 13-16d.

AT NEW YORK

NEW YORK, April 16.—Bar silver 55 5-8, Mexican dollars 42 1-8.

VANCOUVER WHEAT

VANCOUVER, April 16.—Futures quotations:

	Open	High	Low	Close
May	124b	124b	123⅛b	122⅝b
July	132⅛b	131⅛b	122⅝b	123⅝b
November	126b	126b	124⅝b	124⅝b

Cash prices—No. 1 Nor., 120⅝, 2 Nor., 116⅝, 3 Nor., 112⅝, 4 wheat, 107⅛, 5 wheat, 00⅝, 6 wheat, 04⅝, feed, 74⅝.

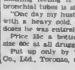
BANANAS FREE WHEN FROM WEST INDIES

OTTAWA, April 16.—The revised tariff on bananas giving the British West Indies preference over all other nations exporting to Canada will go into effect on May 2, according to an announcement made this afternoon from the Department of Finance. The duty on bananas under both general and intermediate tariff is 50 cents a bunch. The new tariff was held up at the request of the Government of the British West Indies. West Indies bananas will enter free through Canadian ports after May 2.

More than 8,000,000 feet of exposed motion picture film was imported into India last year.

Severe Colds Always Ended In Bronchitis

Mrs. John Wilson, 143 Mamelon St., London, Ont., writes "I have always been troubled with severe colds which always ended in bronchitis, but since taking



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TORONTO MART RATHER WEAKER

POPULARITY FAIRLY DISTRIBUTED THROUGH MINES AND OILS

Some Slight Advances in Former Class—Sterling Pacific Prominent in Steadiness

(Stobie, Forlong & Co.)

TORONTO, April 16.—The local market for mines and oils was slightly weaker today. Popularity was comparatively well distributed through mines and oil stocks, a few of the former showing steadiness and slight advances despite the general condition of the market.

Amulet, Teck Hughes, Sudbury Basin, Wright Hargreaves, Malartic, Howey, Big Missouri, were outstanding in retaining a comparative firmness. Slight net losses were noted in Arno, which traded heavily under selling pressure. International Nickel, Noranda and Sherritt-Gordon. Pend Oreille, opening weak, dropped nearly a dollar in the session. Pend Oreille "rights" were also weaker.

In oils, Sterling Pacific was prominent as a steady issue and, while not making a net gain during the session, the stock touched a high of $2.40.

Oils lacking support included Home Oil, which fell considerably from its high level of yesterday, and Associated. Dalhousie was unspectacular.

(H. R. Hunnings & Co., Ltd.)

	Sales	High	Low	Close
Abana	2,000	1 70	1.60	1 70
Amitr	5,000	.23	.22	.23
Amulet	6,400	3 71	3 60	3.77
Apex	3,000	.00	.00½	.00½
Arno	75,000	.33	.31	.27
Baldwin	3,000	.03½	.03½	.00½
Bathurst	6,300	.21	.16	.16
Barry Hol	500	.32	.22	.22
Bedford	1,000	.00	.00	.00
Bidgood	4,000	.30	.30	.30
Big Missouri	2,300	1 16	1 15	1 16
Bolschatal	1,500	.01½	.01½	.31½
Buckingham	3,000	.00½	.00	.00
Cent Man	3,000	.53	.52	.52
Chas. Hughes	3,000	.00½	.00	.00
Clericy	5,00	.17	.17	.17
Crown Res.	4,000	.00½	.03	.03½
Goldale	1,300	.00	.00	.00
Gold Hill	2,500	.04½	.04½	.04½
Goodfish	4,200	.15	.15	.10
Granada	1,200	.16	.19	.16
Grover Daly	1,000	.02	.06	.00
Associated Oil	2,000	6 23	6.00	6 00
Dalhousie	6,000	6.85	0.00	0.00
Home Oil	4,400	23.50	21 75	22 00
Mandy	5,000	1.00	1 05	1 00
Howey	6,100	1.00	1 51	1 04
Peck Man	12,000	.17	.14	.17
Kirk. Hunton	600	.01½	.01½	.01½
Kirk Lake	700	1.15	1 10	1 10
Kirk Premier	1,000	.14	.15½	.14
Lake Shore	600	27 00	27 00	27 00
Laval	1,000	.05	.05	.05
Macassa	1,500	.10	.10	.10
Malartic	2,000	.45	.45	.43
Mill Creek	615	.00½	.00	.30
Min. Corpn.	3,600	4 01	4 00	4 00
Murphy	600	.30	.20	.20
Newbec	20,000	.27	.22	.30
Nipissing	700	2 15	2 00	3 00
Noranda	4,600	56 00	00 75	31 25
Pawnee Kirk	6,000	.04	.00½	.05½
Pend Oreille	2,400	7 25	6 60	6 72
Potter Doal	4,120	1 00	1 20	1 00
Premier	600	1 70	1 00	1 00
Ribago	5,100	.00	.00	.00
San Antonio	11,400	.14	.13	.10
Sher Gor	3,200	6 20	6 10	6 10
Stadacona	3,000	.18	.00	.00
St. Anthony	1,000	.32	.32	.32
Sud Basin	1,000	6 00	5 00	6 00
Sylvanite	100	1 00	1 00	1 00
Towagamac	1,500	6 00	2 15	2 20
Teck Hughes	6,000	6 45	3 00	6 45
Tough Oakes	500	.00	.00	.04
Vipond	5,000	1 11	1 08	1 11
Wright Har	10,600	2 16	2.05	2 15
Wainwell Oil	10,600	.12	.14	.44
Sisco	2,000	.00	.00	.00
Man Basin	6,400	.47	.48	.48
Ventures	700	12 00	10 00	10 00
Falconbridge	250	11 00	11 00	11.00
New Nickel	1,300	47 50	47 00	47 00

Mining News

(H. R. Hunnings & Co., Ltd.)

TORONTO, April 16.—Oils look well. Healthy reactions are holding oils in check and preventing runaway. Public interest growing rapidly and success for Home No. 2 may result in boiling market.

Home No. 1—Home No. 1, Turner Valley's biggest naphtha producer, has established itself as a pioneer in this respect, says Paul Reading, in The Calgary Herald. It not only bettered Royalite 4 output, but it also is selling four products. By means of a double casing it produces wet gas and oil from an upper horizon and naphtha and super-gas from its bottom in the lime. It is exactly one mile deep, and at the present rate it represents nearly a million dollars a year in gross revenue.

A.P. Consolidated has assumed appearance of holding company, though it has announced its intention of drilling in eighty acres of property near Home. On March 1 the company has $400,000 in liquid assets besides 150,000 shares in Home. These were part payment for lease on which Home made its recent big strike. A.P. Consolidated has acreage in six oil fields. Of five million dollar shares authorized, 1,500,000 have been issued.

Turner Valley naptha and crude output for 1928, 481,357 barrels; first three months, 1929, 136,053 barrels or on a basis of 544 for the year.

CLOSING LETTER

VANCOUVER, April 16. — The bears took charge of the market today and recession showed all along the board. But, although prices were weaker, there was no great drop, and the number of sales registered was not below average. In the afternoon session a different tone was noticed, and heavy buying orders gradually strengthened prices until, at the close, it was not much of a difference.

Advance registered the worst drop and was off 50, to close at 3.00.

A.P.C. opened at 3.70, fell to a low of 2.55 with 35,000 changing hands. It traded to close at 3.60, 18 points down.

Calmont showed a gain of $.18 on sales of over 24,000. Dalhousie opened 20 down at 6.00, was hammered down to 3.50, after which it came back in good demand to close at 585 on sales of 4,700.

Devenish was fairly firm at 1.10 to 1.18. Home was the big surprise and disappointment—it dropped over 1.00, and from then on profit-taking set in, the stock being knocked to 20.25, off 2.00 from yesterday. Just before the close the bulls took charge; it closed strong at 21.00.

Mayland, at 8.50, was down 80.

Illinois-Alberta was off 10 at 1.75. Royalite showed a loss of 7.50. The following stocks showed losses as follows: McDougall 40, Spooner 20 at 3.20, United 31 at 14.75, Sterling 10 at 2.15. Mercury showed greater strength than any of the older ones with sales totaling 37,000. The less said about the mines the better.

Grandview was down to 45 3-4. Even on the news that Consolidated had taken over George Copper and the head office would be at Trail, this could get little support, and it was only able to hold its own.

Pend Oreille dropped a straight dollar and a half to 7.50, the low for the year; and Reeves was off 3.50 to 2.35.

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BIRTHS

PEARSON—At Second Street, on Friday, April 12, to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Pearson, a son, 7½ lbs., 7½ inches in length.

BIDDELL—Mary, wife of Alex Biddell, Royal Jubilee Hospital, of a son, April 14, aged 3 years and 3 months.

DEATHS

BATTIONLONG (CASE)—On Monday, April 15, Mary Ann Case, 1239 Derwood Place, Saltspring Island, Gulf Islands, beloved wife of Mr. Battionlong, and mother of one more, born in London, Ont., and a resident of Victoria for the past 4 years, aged 72 years. Funeral service will take place at Saltspring Island, Gulf Islands, Rev. Mr. C. Cooper officiating. Interment Victoria.

The funeral will take place on Wednesday, April 17, at 2 p.m. from the Funeral Chapel of Mr. J. Stewart Duncan, Ltd., 1705 Douglas Street. Interment will take place at Royal Oak Cemetery.

VIDBAUTT, On April 15, accidentally, at Port Renfrew, Thomas Vidbautt, aged 21 years (thirty-eight years, born in Victoria, B.C., son of Mr. and Mrs. Vidbautt of this city. He has only one brother, his residence, 1176 Cook Street. Funeral notice later. Deceased was a member of Victoria Lodge No. 1, B.P.O.E., and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Pelletier, 1176 Cook Street, Victoria, B.C., Vancouver, B.C., is a nephew to deceased

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The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

ESQUIMALT ELECTORAL DISTRICT

NOTICE REGARDING DISCONTINUING AND CLOSING ROAD TO SEA, O.L. 101 MALAHAT DISTRICT

Notice is hereby given that, under the authority conferred by Section 11 of the "Highway Act," Chapter 103 of the "Revised Statutes of British Columbia, 1924," it is the intention of the undersigned, after thirty days from date, to discontinue and close portion of the subdivision road allowance south of Lot 13 of Registered Plan 1007, being a subdivision of portion of Section Lot 101, Malahat District, said portion lies between the easterly boundary of the Island Highway and high water mark of Saanich Inlet.

W. A. McKENZIE
Acting Minister of Public Works
Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B.C., April 8, 1929

TENDERS FOR MOTOR VEHICLE NUMBER PLATES

SEALED TENDERS, marked "Tender for Motor Vehicle Number Plates," will be received by the undersigned up to Noon, Tuesday, April 30, 1929, for the furnishing of
105,000 Pairs Motor Vehicle Number Plates
3,500 Pairs Motor Vehicle Demonstration Number Plates
1,500 Single Motorcycle Number Plates
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150 Single Trailer Plates
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Blue prints showing exact size of plates and all information as to weight of metal, coloring, packing, etc., may be had from the Superintendent of Provincial Police, Victoria, B.C.; Assistant Superintendent Owen, Provincial Police Office, Court House, Vancouver, B.C., or the undersigned.
The successful tenderer will be required to furnish acceptable sureties for the satisfactory completion of the contract. Sample plates must accompany tender and contractor will be required to supply additional plates, if any required, during the period of contract, at his original tender price.
N.B. — PLATES MANUFACTURED IN BRITISH COLUMBIA WILL BE GIVEN PREFERENCE.

F. A. ROLLINS,
Purchasing Agent.
Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B.C.,
April 10, 1929.

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the undersigned that he will not hereafter be responsible for any debts or liabilities incurred by his wife, Elsa M. Porter, excepting only such debts or liabilities as may be incurred under written authority given by him in that behalf.
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THE ALCHEMISTS

By RICHARD STEELE

(Richard Steele, 1672-1729, was an English essayist and dramatist. He is best known today for his contributions to The Spectator, a kind of periodical, which printed the famous Sir Roger de Coverley papers.)

Basilius Valentinus was a person who had arrived at the utmost perfection in the hermetic art of alchemy, and initiated his son Alexandrinus in the same mysteries; but, as they are not to be attained but by the painful, the pious, the chaste, and the pure of heart, Basilius did not open to him, because of his youth and the deviations too natural to it, the greatest secrets of which he was master, as well knowing that the operation would fail in the hands of a man so liable to errors in life as Alexandrinus.

But believing, from a certain indisposition of mind as well as body, his dissolution was drawing nigh, he called Alexandrinus to him, and as he lay on a couch over against which his son was seated, and prepared by sending out servants one after another, and admonition to examine that no one overheard them, he revealed the most important of his secrets with the solemnity and language of an adept.

"My son," said he, "many have been the watchings, long the lucubrations, constant the labors of thy father, not only to gain a great and plentiful estate to his posterity, but also to take care that he should have no posterity. Be not amazed, my child, I do not mean that thou shalt be taken from me, but that I will never leave thee, and consequently cannot be said to have posterity or descendants living after me.

"Observe this small phial and this gallipot; in this an unguent, in the other a liquor. In these, my son, are collected such powers as shall revive the springs of life when they are yet but just ceased, and give new strength, new spirits, and in a word wholly restore all the organs and senses of the human body, to as great a duration as it had before enjoyed from its birth to the day of the application of these my medicines.

"But, my beloved son, care must be taken to apply them within ten hours after the breath is out of the body, while yet the clay is warm with its late life, and yet capable of resuscitation. I find my frame grown crazy with perpetual toil and meditation, and I conjure you, as soon as I am dead, to anoint me with this unguent, and when you see me begin to move, pour into my lips this inestimable liquor, else the force of the ointment will be ineffectual."

In a few days after these wonderful ingredients were delivered to Alexandrinus, Basilius departed this life; but such was the pious sorrow of the son at the loss of so excellent a father, and the first transports of grief had so disabled him from all manner of business, that he never thought of the medicines till the time to which his father had limited their efficacy, had expired.

To tell the truth, Alexandrinus was a man of wit and pleasure, and considered his father had lived his natural time—his life was long and uniform—suitable to the regularity of it—but that he himself, poor sinner, wanted a new life, to repent of a very bad one hitherto; and in the examination of his heart resolved to go on as he did with this natural being of his, but repent very faithfully, and spend very piously, the life to which he should be reduced by application of these rarities.

It has been observed that Providence frequently punishes the self-love of men who would do immoderately for their offspring, with children very much below their characters and borne by those who give daily proofs of the vanity of the labor and ambition of their parents.

It happened thus to the family of Basilius, for Alexandrinus began to enjoy his ample fortune in all the extremities of household expenses, furniture and insolent equipage, and this he pursued, till the departure began, as he grew sensible, to approach. As Basilius was punished with a son very unlike him, Alexandrinus, besides that jealously, had proofs of the vicious disposition of his son Konatus, for that was his name.

Alexandrinus, having very good reasons for thinking it unsafe to trust the real secret of his phial and gallipot to any man living, projected to make sure work, and hope for his success depending from the avarice, not the bounty, of his benefactor.

With this thought he called Konatus to his bedside, and bespoke him in the most pathetic gesture and accent:

"As much, my son, as you have been addicted to vanity and pleasure, as I also have been before you, you nor I could escape the fame or the good effects of the profound knowledge of our progenitor, the renowned Basilius. His symbol is very well known in the philosophic world, and I shall never forget the venerable air of his face when he let me into the profound mysteries of the table of Hermes.

"It is true," said he, "and far removed from all color of deceit, that which is inferior is like that which is superior, by which are acquired and perfected all the miracles of a certain work. The father is the sun, the mother is the moon, the wind is the womb, the earth is the nurse of it, and the mother of all perfection!

"All this must be received with modesty and wisdom. The chemical people carry to all their jargon a whimsical sort of piety which is ordinary with great lovers of money, and is no more but deceiving themselves, that their regularity and strictness of manners, for the ends of the world, has some affinity to the innocence of heart which must recommend them to the next."

Konatus wondered to hear his father talk so like an adept, and with such a mixture of piety, while Alexandrinus observing his attention fixed, proceeded.

"This phial, child, and this little earthen pot, will add to thy estate so much as to make thee the richest man in the empire. I am going to my long home, but shall not return to common dust."

Then he resumed a face of alacrity, and told him that if within an hour after his death he anointed his whole body, and poured down his throat that liquor which he had from old Basilius, the corpse would be converted into pure gold. I will not attempt to record the unfeigned tenderness that passed between these two extraordinary persons; but if the father recommended the care of his remains with vehemence and affection, the son was not behindhand in professing that he would not cut off the least bit of him but upon the utmost extremity, or to provide for his younger brothers and sisters.

Well, Alexandrinus died, and the heir of his body, as our term is, could not forbear in the wantonness of his heart to measure the length and breadth of his beloved father, and cast up the ensuing value of him before he proceeded to operation. When he knew the immense reward of his pains, he began to work. But lo! when he anointed the corpse all over, and began to apply the liquor, the body stirred, and Konatus, in a fright, broke the phial.

"Pity the People!"

Stalin (of Russia): "Factories? Yes, we have the largest! They are running night and day on orders for war planes and poison gas."
—O. Van Raemdonck in Netenkraker, Amsterdam

TWO RESCUERS STILL MISSING

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before they would be able to undertake the labor necessary to getting their plane once more in the air.

Kingsford-Smith was represented as most touched that Anderson started so quickly to search for him when it appeared he was in extreme danger. The two men previously had been exceedingly antagonistic to each other over animosity growing out of the flight of the Southern Cross from California to Australia.

GROUND DRYING

Captain Kingsford-Smith reported that he thought the ground should be sufficiently dry by Thursday for the Southern Cross to take off, providing supplies of gasoline arrived.

The airplane Canberra, after an unsuccessful search for Anderson and Hitchcock, returned to Wyndham because of a mishap to its wireless.

LONDON, April 16.—A message from Melbourne to the Exchange Telegraph states that as a result of comments on the disappearance of the airplane Southern Cross, Captain Charles Kingsford-Smith and C. T. Ulm have issued writs for alleged libel against The Sydney Daily Guardian. Each aviator claimed £10,000 damages.

WHICH CAME FIRST

BOSTON, April 16.—The question "Which came first, the tree or the hoop?" is asked by many who see an iron hoop encircling the base of a grown ash tree on South Street, Waltham. Old residents in the vicinity say the hoop was there as long as they can remember, and it is not known if someone placed it over the tree when it was a sapling, or if the tree grew inside the hoop as it was lying on the ground.

BUDGET NOT PLEASING TO OPPOSITION

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LIBERAL LEADER

Mr. Lloyd George said disappointment with the budget would grow on examination of it from day to day. He claimed that Mr. Churchill had not risen to the great opportunity open to him for dealing with the country in its present emergency.

The Liberal leader said the Chancellor had been very severe on him for making suggestions regarding borrowing money for public works on the basis of a new fund which would liquidate both interest and capital in a few years. But whereas he himself was going to borrow $1,000,000,000, Mr. Churchill proposed to borrow $2,000,000,000 for kindred purposes.

He declared that Mr. Churchill was the first Chancellor of the Exchequer who ever budgeted on a great deficit to his successors. There was $70,000,000 to be found, and it was Mr. Churchill's successors who would have to find it.

DRIED FISH SHIP'S FUEL

Dried fish, saturated with paraffin, were used as fuel on the Norwegian steamer Eina, which arrived recently at Aberdeen, Scotland, four days overdue, after a stormy voyage from Iceland. The vessel set out with sufficient bunker coal to last nine days, but because of adverse weather the supply of fuel gave out when the voyage was little more than half completed. Ninety-five barrels of fish were used. "My, but they did burn!" said Captain Larsen with a smile.

RADIUM CLINIC FOR CANCER

England's first completely equipped clinic for the treatment of cancer by radium is soon to be opened in Westminster Hospital, London. Of twenty-two beds in the new clinic, fourteen will be free. In the past three months, with only part of the equipment installed, the clinic treated seventy-five cases, the results inspiring one honorary surgeon to say: "The results have been so striking that I would venture to say that no cancer case can now be called hopeless, provided radium is available."

SOUND AUCTION BRIDGE

By WILBUR C. WHITEHEAD
The World's Greatest Authority

Strip and End-Play

North: ♠ K 4; ♥ K Q 2; ♦ A K 6 3; ♣ 7 5 4 2
West: ♠ Q J 10 9 8 5; ♥ A 10 9; ♦ 10 8 7; ♣ Q
East: ♠ 7 6 3; ♥ 8 6 5 4; ♦ Q 9 4; ♣ J 10 6
South: ♠ A 2; ♥ J 7 3; ♦ J 5 2; ♣ A K 9 8 3

THE BIDDING

Auction: South (Dealer) one Club, West, one Spade; North, two Clubs, all pass.

Contract: South, one Club; West, one Spade, North, five Clubs, all pass.

SALIENT POINTS OF THE BIDDING

Auction: North bids two Clubs rather than No Trump because his hand is worth 7 Probable Tricks in support of Clubs which, added to the 4 shown by partner, indicates a greater probability of game at Clubs than No Trump, with but one stopper in the suit adversely bid.

Contract. The same comments apply to Contract, but North should bid five Clubs at once. It might be stated that but for the adverse Spade bid North, instead of giving an immediate jump assist, would have been justified in making a forcing over-call of three Diamonds to demand a response by partner in an attempt to develop whether or not the hand contained Slam probabilities. As a forcing take-out, to wit, a take-out by a bid of one more than necessary, in an imperative demand for a further bid by partner, it should be obvious that North would have an opportunity later to show his Club support.

THE PLAY

West's opening, the Queen of Spades, is won by Declarer with Dummy's King. Declarer counts a sure game if trumps break, as only one Heart and one Diamond trick need be lost. The outstanding four trumps failing to break, however, a trump trick must be conceded. Since a Heart trick must also be lost, Declarer's only hope for game now is in trying to prevent the loss of a Diamond trick. Obviously this can be accomplished only by means of a strip and end-play, the strip play, consisting of the elimination of Spades and Hearts from both Declarer's and Dummy's hands, and the end play of throwing East in with his remaining trump. East, when in, must either give Declarer a ruff and discard or lead a Diamond, and if East holds the Queen of Diamonds, Declarer can accomplish his coup by going up with Dummy's Jack, enabling him obviously to fulfill his contract.

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VALENTINES IN MUSEUM

Valentines have gone out of style among young lovers in England, and the tender missives of long ago are acquiring a museum value. An exhibition of 400 varieties was recently held in a London museum. With them was shown an old post-office sign urging the public to mail their Valentines early.

NITRATES FOUND IN AFRICA

Nitrate deposits are reported to have been discovered in Southwest Africa. Practically all the entire supply in the past has come from the mines of Chile, in South America. The African product of the salts, so essential in producing explosives and as a fertilizer, is declared to be superior to that from Chile.

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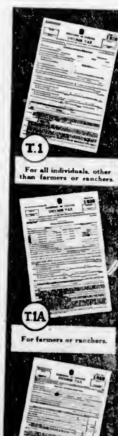
Dominion of Canada Income Tax Returns are due

APRIL 30

Avoid the penalties the law imposes for delay



Every person liable to pay Dominion Income Tax should obtain three copies of the official form, either from his Postmaster or from the Inspector of Income Tax in his district. These forms are:

Form T 1 —For all individuals, other than farmers or ranchers.
Form T 1A—For farmers or ranchers.
Form T 2 —For corporations and joint stock companies.

Note carefully the instructions on the form. Fill in all details accurately and answer all questions. Make up the amount of your tax. You can do this with the help of the accompanying table. Mail two copies, properly filled in and signed, to the Income Tax Inspector for your district, *together with an accepted bank cheque or money order* for the full amount of your tax, or for the first instalment. Keep the third copy for your own reference. Be sure to have these returns mailed before April 30.

Personal Exemptions

Personal exemptions should be noted carefully. They may be summarized as follows;

(a) $3,000 in the case of a married person or householder, or any other person who has dependent upon him any of the following persons:

1. A parent or grand-parent.
2. A daughter or sister.
3. A son or brother under 21 years of age; or incapable of self-support on account of mental or physical infirmity.

Note—Where husband and wife each have a separate income in excess of $1,500, then each shall receive not $3,000 exemption, but $1,500 exemption.

(b) $1,500 in the case of unmarried persons.

(c) $500 for each child under 21 years of age who is dependent upon the taxpayer for support, or if 21 years of age or over is incapable of self-support on account of mental or physical infirmity.

Send only Accepted Cheques or Money Orders

Dominion Income Tax may be paid in a lump sum on or before April 30, or the taxpayer may pay one-quarter of the estimated tax due on or before April 30, and the balance in three equal, bi-monthly payments together with interest at 6 per centum per annum. If the taxpayer adopts the instalment plan of payment and fails to pay instalments as they fall due, additional penalty interest will be added.

A cheque marked accepted by the bank on which it is drawn or money order for either the full amount, or the amount of the first instalment, must accompany the official forms. Cheques must be made payable to "The Receiver-General of Canada." *Do not send cash.*

Mail forms together with cheque to the Inspector of Dominion Income Tax for your district.

No Extension of Time

If you delay making Income Tax Returns for any reason, the penalties must be imposed.

In cases of absence from home, or inability to sign the return for any other cause, your accountant, or your solicitor, or your partner, or your agent may sign for you and save you the penalty. No extension of time will be granted.

Public Co-operation Asked

The Department's Inspectors will be glad to advise any taxpayer in preparing returns.

The Department desires the co-operation of the public in administering the Income War Tax Act.

Location of Income Tax Inspectors

Inspectors of Dominion Income Tax are located in convenient places throughout Canada. Consult the Income Tax Office nearest to you. Address "Inspector of Dominion Income Tax." The offices are at:

Charlottetown, P. E. Island.
Halifax, Nova Scotia.
Saint John, New Brunswick.
Quebec City, Quebec.
Montreal, Quebec.
Ottawa, Ontario.
Belleville, Ontario.
Kingston, Ontario.
Toronto 2, Ontario.
Hamilton, Ontario.
London, Ontario.
Fort William, Ontario.
Winnipeg, Manitoba.
Regina, Saskatchewan.
Prince Albert, Saskatchewan.
Saskatoon, Saskatchewan.
Calgary, Alberta.
Edmonton, Alberta.
Vancouver, British Columbia.
Dawson, Yukon Territory.

Canada's Income Tax Schedule

Below is the official schedule of Dominion Income Taxation for persons other than Corporations and Joint Stock Companies.

The amounts mentioned in this schedule are those after all exemptions have been subtracted. After calculating the amount of the tax payable according to the schedule, the taxpayer will deduct 20 per centum.

On the first $2,000 of income or any portion thereof . . . 2%

On the amount in excess of	But not in excess of	Rate of Taxation
$2,000	$3,000	3%
3,000	4,000	4%
4,000	5,000	5%
5,000	6,000	6%
6,000	7,000	7%
7,000	8,000	8%
8,000	9,000	9%
9,000	10,000	10%
10,000	11,000	11%
11,000	12,000	12%
12,000	13,000	13%
13,000	14,000	14%
14,000	15,000	15%
15,000	16,000	16%
16,000	17,000	17%
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18,000	19,000	19%
19,000	20,000	20%
20,000	25,000	21%
25,000	30,000	22%
30,000	35,000	23%
35,000	40,000	24%
40,000	45,000	25%
45,000	50,000	26%
50,000	55,000	27%
55,000	60,000	28%
60,000	65,000	29%
65,000	70,000	30%
70,000	75,000	31%
75,000	80,000	32%
80,000	85,000	33%
85,000	90,000	34%
90,000	95,000	35%
95,000	100,000	36%
100,000	110,000	37%
110,000	120,000	38%
120,000	130,000	39%
130,000	140,000	40%
140,000	150,000	41%
150,000	175,000	42%
175,000	200,000	43%
200,000	250,000	44%
250,000	300,000	45%
300,000	350,000	46%
350,000	400,000	47%
400,000	450,000	48%
450,000	500,000	49%
500,000		50%

The rate of tax applicable to Corporations and Joint Stock Companies is eight (8) per centum on the income in excess of $2,000.

The Department of National Revenue

INCOME TAX DIVISION, OTTAWA

Honourable W. D. EULER,
Minister of National Revenue.

C. S. WALTERS,
Commissioner of Income Tax.

THAT CERTAIN PARTY

By Jack Wilhelm

THE NEBBS

At Home

By Sol Hess

POLLY AND HER PALS

There's Nothing Vain About These Girls

By Cliff Sterrett

TILLIE THE TOILER

Mac the "Bouncer"

By Westover

S'MATTER POP

Just "Another" Fight

By C. M. Payne

BOBBY THATCHER

The Identity of a Neighbor

By George Storm

KRAZY KAT

EMBARRASSING MOMENTS

JUST LIKE A WOMAN

Tommy was always eager for knowledge, and one day, while walking in the park with his father, he asked the name of a tree.

"That's an elm tree," his father told him.

"Why do they call it an elm?"

"Oh, why do they call you 'Tommy?'" asked his father impatiently.

Tommy thought for a while. Then he said:

"I don't know why do they call me 'Tommy, father?'"

Waiter: "Has your order been taken?"

Waiter: "Yes and so was my photograph when I was a child."

COLONIST DAILY COMIC FEATURE

THE NEBB'S -:- **Rudy Still Pursues The Diamond Smuggler** -:- By SOL HESS

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SEA BROADCAST COMPREHENSIVE

DEPARTMENT OF MARINE AND FISHERIES USES RADIO TO AID FISHERMEN

Daily Service From Halifax Lightship and Marconi Station at Louisburg

HALIFAX, N.S., April 16.—The broadcasting service inaugurated last year by the Department of Marine and Fisheries for the benefit of the fishing fleet and others interested in the industry, was resumed on April 2 and will be continued throughout the season.

The service, broadcast daily from the Halifax lightship at 8 a.m. and 1:30 p.m., and from the Marconi station at Louisburg at 4 a.m. and 1 p.m., is collected and compiled at the Halifax office of the Eastern Fisheries Division, Department of Marine and Fisheries. Practically all of the fishing vessels are now equipped with receiving sets, and the service this year is expected to be even more popular than before.

The features broadcast are: Weather reports and data from the Magdalen Islands, Canso, Port Hawkesbury, Queensport, Port Hood, North Sydney, Halifax, Lunenburg, Liverpool, Lockeport, Shelburne and Yarmouth, showing the quantity of fresh and frozen bait available as well as ice conditions; local prices for dried fish and slack salted fish, including, when possible, Boston and Gloucester quotations; news items covering catches of vessels arriving from the Grand Banks; outstanding fishery incidents and urgent information regarding fishermen's families.

WEST COAST SERVICE

The steamer leaves for Port Alice and way ports on the 1st, 11th and 21st of each month.

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FILIPINO IS HELD ABOARD ALASKA

FERNATO FERRER AND FOUR STEERAGE PASSENGERS QUARANTINED

Oriental Is Said to Be Germ Carrier—Vessel Now Steaming Northward

KETCHIKAN, Alaska, April 16.—The liner Alaska was steaming northward today released from the quarantine placed on the vessel yesterday, after four steerage passengers for Ketchikan, who had come in contact with the Filipino meningitis germ carrier, had been placed in isolation here.

Fernato Ferrer, whose presence on the ship led to her quarantine yesterday, was kept on board in strict isolation. Ferrer was said to have been in contact with persons suffering from spinal meningitis.

AFRICA MARU OFF FOR THE ORIENT

Captain A. Kobayashi Replaces Captain K. Komiya, on Shore Leave for One Voyage

Drawing twenty-six feet of water at the bow and with a 6,500-ton cargo of lumber, flour, wheat and automobiles, the Osaka Shosen Kaisha liner Africa Maru left Rithet piers for ports of Japan and China at 4 45 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

Captain A. Kobayashi was on the bridge, replacing Captain K. Komiya, who is on shore leave in Japan for one round trip.

Passengers aboard included Mr. and Mrs. K. Takamuro and Miss M. Takamuro, Mr. T. Mukoyama, Mr. A. Akimoto, Mr. K. Terai, Mr. and Mrs. K. Itami, Mr. Y. Yamada, Mrs. Takatori and Mr. William McNeill, British subject deported from Seattle to Yokohama.

The liner carried thirteen first class travelers, forty-seven third, of whom seven joined here, and seven bags of United States mail.

Aeroplane Industry in Canada Growing

AEORPLANE industry in Canada is based on something more substantial than mere paper, as is attested by the pictures shown here of fourteen light aeroplanes at the De Haviland aerodrome, Weston, Ontario. The seven in front are for private owners while the others are for the Royal Canadian Air Force, Camp Borden. The lower picture shows G. N. Irwin, of Whitby, seated in the rear seat of his Moth machine prior to his leaving for home.

COLLISION CASE EVIDENCE TAKEN

Arguments Arising Out of Adelaide-Hampholm Smash to Commence Today

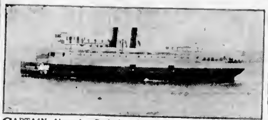
VANCOUVER, April 16.—With all evidence taken in the claim and counterclaim between F. Olsen & Co., owners of the Norwegian freighter Hampholm, and the Canadian Pacific Railway, owners of the steamer, Princess Adelaide, arguments will be commenced in the Admiralty Court tomorrow morning.

Olsen & Co. claim $40,000 damages, and the C.P.R. $60,000, arising out of a collision in English Bay during a dense fog last December 10.

Schooners Sold

SAN FRANCISCO, April 16.—Announcement was made yesterday of the sale by Andrew F. Mahony of two steam schooners, the Frank D. Stout, 653 tons net, and the Necanicum, 565 tons, to the Redwood Line. The craft are to be used for carrying lumber from Rockport to San Francisco, according to O. A. F. Biwell, Western operating manager of the line.

Brings Business Men Here



CAPTAIN Alexander Peabody, vice-president of the Puget Sound Navigation Company, and Mr. W. H. Mitchell, general manager, arrived in the city yesterday morning aboard the company's Victoria-Seattle steamer Iroquois, accompanied by a party of twenty-four Seattle business men. They left here again at 10:15 o'clock.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY

The "IMPERIAL LIMITED" at 9 00 p.m. daily to Montreal direct.

The "TORONTO EXPRESS" at 9 00 a.m. daily to Toronto direct.

The "SOO-PACIFIC EXPRESS" at 9 00 p.m. daily to Chicago, via Minneapolis and St. Paul.

The "COAST-KOOTENAY EXPRESS" at 7 20 p.m. daily to Nelson, via the Kettle Valley

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May 6 . . . Minnedosa
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1 30 p.m.		2 30 p.m.
3 15 p.m.		6 30 p.m.
6 00 p.m.		6 30 p.m.

Shipping Information

SUNRISE AND SUNSET

APRIL

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific Standard time), at Victoria, B.C., for the month of April, 1929

	Sunrise	Sunset		Sunrise	Sunset
13	5 27	7 00	22	5 09	7 13
14	5 24	7 02	23	5 07	7 14
15	5 22	7 03	24	5 06	7 16
16	5 20	7 05	25	5 04	7 17
17	5 18	7 06	26	5 03	7 19
18	5 16	7 08	27	5 01	7 20
19	5 14	7 09	28	5 00	7 21
20	5 13	7 10	29	4 59	7 23
21	5 11	7 10	30	4 57	7 24

MOONRISE AND MOONSET

APRIL

Time of moonrise and moonset (Pacific Standard time), at Victoria, B.C., for the month of April, 1929

Day	Rises	Sets
15	9 25 a.m.	1 22 a.m.
16	10 30 a.m.	2.27 a.m.
(First Quarter, 16th)		
17	11 34 a.m.	3 03 a.m.
18	1 12 p.m.	3 30 a.m.
19	2 29 p.m.	4 02 a.m.
20	3 43 p.m.	4 23 a.m.
21	4 24 p.m.	4 43 a.m.
22	6 20 p.m.	4 58 a.m.
23	7 13 p.m.	5 13 a.m.
(Full Moon, 23rd)		
24	8 25 p.m.	5 29 a.m.
25	9 34 p.m.	6 00 a.m.
26	10 41 p.m.	6 10 a.m.
27	11 41 p.m.	6 32 a.m.
28		7 22 a.m.
29	0 03 a.m.	8 21 a.m.
30	1 24 a.m.	9 20 a.m.

Note.—These times are correct to within one or two minutes.

TIDES AT VICTORIA

APRIL

Date	Time H M	Ht Ft	Time H M	Ht Ft	Time H M	Ht Ft	Time H M	Ht Ft
15	4 20	[illegible]	16 47	[illegible]				
16	4 37	[illegible]	14 40	[illegible]				
17	0 56	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]				
18	1 11	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]				
19	1 27	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
20	1 57	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
21	1 43	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
22	1 44	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
23	1 30	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
24	1 07	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
25	2 10	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
26	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]				
27	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]				
28	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]				
29	3 07	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]				
30	1 20	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]				

The time used is Pacific Standard for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the table, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

The height is in feet and tenths of a foot, measured from the average level of low water.

To find the depth of water on the sill of the Esquimalt drydock at any tide, add 18 feet to the height of high water as given above.

To find the depth of water on the sill of the Songhees drydock add 30 feet to the height of high water as above given.

GULF ISLANDS SERVICE

The steamer Otter leaves for the Gulf Islands on Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays, at 7.15 a.m. The steamer Charmer leaves for Vancouver via the Gulf Islands on Tuesdays at 11 a.m.

Ocean and Coastwise Movements

Vessel Movements

SEATTLE, April 16.—Arrived: American, Yukon, President McKinley, Tacoma, Willapa, Port Angeles, Everett; Olympic, Santa Cecilia, Admiral Dewey, Brookings, Arkansas, Boobyalla, San Francisco; Palsterbo, Nagoya, Maltran, Astoria. Sailed: Phyllis, Admiral Dewey, Arkansas, Depere, Tacoma; Brookings, J. L. Luckenbach, Sound ports; Alameda, Alaska Standard, Alaska; Admiral Dewey, Arkansas, Depere, Tacoma; Palsterbo, Vancouver; Boobyalla, Los Angeles; Makna, Mukilteo; Mary D., Bellingham; Africa Maru, Victoria.

PORTLAND, April 16.—Arrived: Point Gorda, New Orleans; Oalena, Los Angeles; Silverado, Los Angeles; F. S. Loop, San Francisco. Sailed: Warwick, Los Angeles; Eemdyk, Antwerp; Munomi, Los Angeles; Richmond, Los Angeles.

TACOMA, April 16.—Arrived: Oduna, Alaska; Depere, Avon, Willapa, Seattle. [illegible]

SAN FRANCISCO, April 16.—[illegible]

YOKOHAMA, April 16.—Golden Bird, San Francisco.

TACOMA, April 15.—City of Lille, San Pedro.

KOBE, April 15.—Shinyo Maru, San Francisco.

BOSTON, April 17.—Pacific, Vancouver.

HONG KONG, April 15.—Malaren, Prince, San Pedro.

SHANGHAI, April 14.—Silver Bell, Golden Fleece, San Francisco, April 16. Dianna, Portland.

NEW YORK, April 16.—Vaba, San Pedro.

NORFOLK, April 16.—Troutpool, Vancouver and sailed for Hamburg.

MELBOURNE, April 16.—Golden Eagle, Seattle.

MANILA, April 12.—Ireland, San Pedro.

PANAMA, April 13.—Passed: [illegible]

SAILED

YOKOHAMA, April 17.—Dubian Maru, San Francisco.

MANILA, April 16.—Bellingham, San Francisco. [illegible]

WEATHER REPORT

ESTEVAN—Rain, fresh, south [illegible], heavy swell.

PACHENA—Squally, strong, south [illegible], rough.

CARMANAH—Rain, south showers, 29.85, rough.

CAPE BEALE—Cloudy, rain squalls, south, fresh [illegible].

PRINCE RUPERT—Cloudy, calm [illegible], smooth.

WIRELESS REPORT

[illegible]

C.N.S. MOVEMENTS

CANADIAN [illegible]—Due from Halifax June 14.

CANADIAN MILLER—At Vancouver.

CANADIAN SEIGNEUR—Due from Quebec, June 24.

CANADIAN RANGER—Due from Halifax May 14.

CANADIAN PROSPECTOR—Due from Halifax, April 25.

CANADIAN CRUISER—At Vancouver.

CANADIAN FARMER—Due from San Francisco, April 25.

CANADIAN OBSERVER—Due from San Francisco, April 17.

CANADIAN ROVER—Due from San Francisco, May 6.

SHIPPING CALENDAR

TO ARRIVE

SHIDZUOKA MARU—From Orient, April 19.

NOORDERDYK—From England, April 20.

PRESIDENT GRANT—From Orient, April 22.

PROTESILAUS—From Orient, April 23.

NIAGARA—From Antipodes, April 26.

PACIFIC TRADER—From England, April 27.

EMPRESS OF FRANCE—From Orient, April 27.

ALABAMA MARU—From Orient, April 30.

YOKOHAMA MARU—From Orient, May 3.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND—From Orient, May 6.

ARABIA MARU—From Orient, May 8.

PACIFIC PRESIDENT—From Orient, May 11.

TALTHYBIUS—From Orient, May 14.

PARTHENIA—From England, May 19.

EMPRESS OF RUSSIA—From Orient, May 18.

TOYAMA MARU—From Orient, May 18.

PRESIDENT PIERCE—From Orient, May 20.

AORANGI—From Antipodes, May 24.

PACIFIC ENTERPRISE—From England, May 28.

ARIZONA MARU—From Orient, May 28.

TO SAIL

EMPRESS OF ASIA—For Orient, April 20.

PRESIDENT McKINLEY—For Orient, April 20.

AFRICA MARU—For Orient, April 18.

TYNDAREUS—For Orient, April 23.

~~SHIDZUOKA MARU~~—For Orient, May 1.

NIAGARA—For Antipodes, May 8.

PRESIDENT GRANT—For Orient, May 4.

EMPRESS OF FRANCE—For Orient, May 4.

ALABAMA MARU—For Orient, May 10.

PROTESILAUS—For Orient, May 14.

YOKOHAMA MARU—For Orient, May 16.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND—For Orient, May 18.

ARABIA MARU—For Orient, May 21.

AORANGI—For Antipodes, May 29.

EMPRESS OF RUSSIA—For Orient, May 30.

TRANSPACIFIC MAILS

APRIL

CHINA AND JAPAN

[illegible]

AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND

[illegible]

UNITED STATES AIR MAIL SCHEDULE

[illegible]

*Los Angeles, Cal.: Arrives tomorrow 6:10 p.m.

San Diego, Cal.: Arrives day after tomorrow 6:30 p.m.

Atlanta, Ga.: Arrives on the fourth day, 6:17 a.m.

*For delivery on day of arrival a special delivery stamp will be necessary on letters addressed to these places.

Salvage King Gives Position Off Japan

According to word received from Capt. J. M. Hewison, Ss. Salvage King was 800 miles off Osaka yesterday morning, en route to Victoria. The report stated the vessel was enjoying fair weather, with all well on board.

FISHPOOL LEAVES FOR EAST COAST

Bomb Placed Aboard Freighter in 1916 Results in Her Sinking off Ireland

CHEMAINUS, April 16.—To load lumber, Ss. Erviken arrived in port on Sunday. Ss. Sheaf Mead, Captain H. B. Rae, cleared for the Atlantic seaboard on Monday after loading lumber.

Ss. Fishpool, under charter to the Seaboard Lumber Sales, left for New York with lumber on Monday. An interesting bit of history is attached to the freighter.

In 1916, during the Great War, a bomb with a time fuse was placed in the midship hold of the vessel by a German sympathiser, while she was loading a cargo of lumber for the Allies at Newport News on the Atlantic seaboard. When about seven days from Queenstown, Ireland, the bomb exploded, setting fire to the timber cargo. Efforts were made to control the outbreak at sea, but were unsuccessful and the captain then decided to make a dash for port. On arrival at Queenstown, or Cobh, as it is now known, the fire was still burning and finally it was necessary to sink the ship in the harbor before it was extinguished. Within two days she was raised and after repairs had been made resumed her sailings, carrying supplies for the allied forces before the end of the conflict.

VANCOUVER FEELS INTERIOR STORM WITH HIGH WINDS

VANCOUVER, April 16. — The passage of an ocean storm which is now sweeping through the Interior and northern areas of British Columbia, brought Vancouver a thirty-mile-an-hour wind on Monday night, after more than an hour's steady, pelting rainfall.

Although the wind reached a velocity of nearly forty miles an hour on the Gulf, no damage to shipping was reported. Most tugboats were in shelter, having been warned of the approaching storm on Monday afternoon.

MILLER ARRIVES

With 100 tons of cargo from Halifax for discharge, Ss. Canadian Miller arrived at Ogden Point docks at 6 o'clock last evening, proceeding to Vancouver shortly before midnight. She is expected back here within a week to load 80,000 feet of lumber.

Ss. Canadian Observer is expected at Ogden Point at 11 o'clock this morning from San Francisco and San Pedro with sixty-five tons of cargo. Fifty tons of her cargo includes machinery for the cold storage plant.

Coastal Sailings Out of B.C. Ports

FOR VANCOUVER

C.P.R. steamer leaves daily at 2:45 p.m.

C.P.R. steamer leaves daily at 11:30 p.m.

FROM VANCOUVER

C.P.R. steamer arrives daily at 7 a.m.

C.P.R. steamer arrives daily at 6 p.m.

FOR SEATTLE

Iroquois leaves daily at 10.15 a.m.

C.P.R. steamer leaves daily at 4.30 p.m.

FROM SEATTLE

C.P.R. steamer arrives daily at 1:35 a.m.

Iroquois arrives daily at 8 p.m.

WEST COAST ROUTE

B.C. Coast Service: From Victoria to Port Alice and all West Coast ports, leaving Victoria on 1st, 11th and 21st of month.

NANAIMO-VANCOUVER

Princess Elaine leaves Nanaimo [illegible] a.m. [illegible] leaves Vancouver [illegible] Sunday [illegible]

VICTORIA-PORT ANGELES

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PRINCE RUPERT ROUTE

[illegible] Every Thursday at 9 p.m. and every Friday at 9 p.m., from Vancouver for Alert Bay, Port Hardy, Prince Rupert, etc.

Canadian National Steamships. On Mondays at [illegible] from Vancouver.

QUEEN CHARLOTTE ISLANDS ROUTE

Canadian National Steamships, Prince Rupert [illegible]

PORTLAND CANAL ROUTE

OBSERVATORY INLET ROUTE

Canadian National Steamships. On Mondays, at 8 p.m., from Vancouver, for Prince Rupert, Stewart, Anyox, Powell River and Ocean Falls.

VANCOUVER-OCEAN FALLS-PRINCE RUPERT

Weekly, Princess Royal leaves Vancouver 9 p.m., Wednesdays. Canadian National Steamships Mondays, 8 p.m., from Vancouver.

POWELL RIVER AND COMOX

C.P.R. steamer Charmer sails from Vancouver midnight on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

ALASKA AND NORTHERN BRITISH COLUMBIA

Princess Mary leaves Vancouver 9 p.m., March 3, 10 and 24.

GULF ISLANDS SERVICE

Steamer Otter leaves Victoria for Gulf Islands at 7.15 a.m. on Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays.

Steamer Charmer leaves Victoria for Vancouver, via Gulf Islands, at 11 a.m. on Tuesdays.

New Engine for Trim Ship Avon Is Fitted Here

Mr. Peter Thornton's yacht Avon, from Thetis Island, is having a twenty-four-horsepower Kelvin engine installed by Armstrong Brothers. In the meantime Mr. Thornton is using Armstrong Brothers' cabin cruiser K.M.B.

The Avon is well known in these waters, with her trim lines and white-painted hull. She is the smallest craft on the Coast built with a clipper bow.

Captain Wylyn' launch will this month be fitted with a twelve-horsepower Kelvin engine by Armstrong Brothers.

PORTLAND NEW LINE QUARTERS

QUAKER LINE TO OPERATE EIGHTEEN CARRIERS BETWEEN BOTH COASTS

President of Newly-Formed Pacific-Atlantic Steamship Company Makes Announcement

PORTLAND, Ore., April 16.—Kenneth D. Dawson, president of the newly-formed Pacific-Atlantic Steamship Co. announced yesterday that Portland will be headquarters for the line, and that the company will operate eighteen ships, aggregating 162,567 deadweight tonnage, under the well-known trade name, "Quaker Line."

These vessels will ply with freight cargoes between Portland, San Francisco and Seattle, and between New York, Philadelphia and Baltimore.

Nominees Selected By Civil Servants

Messrs. E. Herbert, representing marine; S. A. Shrimpton, trade and commerce; R. Knight, postal division, and A. H. C. Jones, immigration, have been nominated by the Victoria local council of the Amalgamated Civil Servants, and will stand for election of a delegate to the Toronto convention, which opens on September 10.

There are now 140 members of the local council, and it is possible that two delegates will be selected if further applications for membership are received this week.

SHIPS PASSING

For fumigation, the Yamashita freighter Hayo Maru arrived at William Head Quarantine Station at 5.30 o'clock yesterday morning. She left late in the evening for Vancouver.

Ss. Pacific Maru passed out to sea at 6.30 o'clock yesterday morning, and Ss. Ontariolite at 1 45 in the afternoon. Ss. Oakworth was due to pass up to Vancouver at 2 o'clock this morning, according to Federal pilots.

Loads for Japan

Ss. Kurohime Maru, Captain Y. Tsurusaki, which arrived at Rithet piers on Sunday, left at 6 o'clock last evening for Vancouver after loading 640,000 feet of lumber for Japan.

Mrs. H. L. Sheedy Killed

SAN FRANCISCO, April 16.—Mrs. Helen L. Sheedy, widely-known San Franciscan, jumped or fell to her death from a third-story hotel window here today.

Mrs. Sheedy was former holder of the women's city golf championship. She was one of the most prominent women golfers in California for a number of years, beginning in 1922. Before her marriage she was Miss Helen Smith.

C.P. STEAMSHIPS TO CARRY FIRST AID OPERATORS

Class Has Been Started to Train Employees in Case of Accidents on Board Coast Vessels

NEW GANGWAY NOW BEING CONSTRUCTED

To protect travelers on vessels of the B.C. Coast Steamship Service, as is done on the railways of Canada, St. John Ambulance first aid classes are being given by Instructor E. O. Noble once weekly at the C.P.R. Social Club premises, Belleville Street.

It is intended, it was explained at the offices yesterday, to have one or two qualified first aid men attached hereafter to each ship in case of accident to passengers or members of the crew.

For the convenience of travel on the night steamers between Vancouver and Victoria, a valet service is shortly to be inaugurated on those sailings.

Work is now in progress at the Belleville Street dock to facilitate the handling of travel when business is brisk in the Summer months. An overhead gangway is being constructed so that passengers may leave from the upper deck of vessels as well as from the lower decks, as at present. It is under construction over the freight shed, and will connect with the main gangway to the ships. The construction will be uniform with the present overhead approach, and new customs and immigration tables are being erected. There will be about two weeks' work entailed on these alterations.

Mr. D. C. Coleman Leaves for Trip Over P.G.E. Rly.

VANCOUVER, April 16.—D. C. Coleman, vice-president Western lines, Canadian Pacific Railway, will leave at 10 p.m. for Squamish for a trip over the Pacific Great Eastern Railway as far north as Quesnel, according to a statement in Government circles today. The trip is being made in connection with the survey of the P.G.E. that is being started by the Canadian Pacific and Canadian National Railways in conjunction with the Provincial Government.

Mr. Coleman will be accompanied by T. C. McNab, of Winnipeg, engineer in charge of construction for the Canadian Pacific, and C. A. Cotterell, general superintendent, British Columbia division, C.P.R.

The party will board two special C.P.R. coaches at Vancouver, which will be taken by barge to Squamish and run onto the P.G.E. tracks. The trip will occupy three or four days.

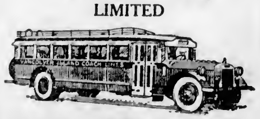
SENATE RATIFIES DAWES NOMINATION

WASHINGTON, April 16.—Within a few minutes after President Hoover today forwarded the nomination of Charles Gates Dawes, former vice-president, to be ambassador to England, the Senate confirmed it without a roll call.

DR. G. CAMPBELL DIES

VANCOUVER, April 16. — Dr. Gordon Campbell, resident in Vancouver for fifteen years, died of bronchial pneumonia today at the residence of his sister, Dr. Mary Campbell, Twelfth Avenue West. He was in his forty-fourth year.

VANCOUVER ISLAND COACH LINES LIMITED



COLWOOD RACE TRACK — COLWOOD GOLF LINKS — LANGFORD LAKE

Leaves Depot	Leaves Langford
7:00 a.m.	8 00 a.m.
9 30 a.m.	10 00 a.m.
10 30 a.m.	11:30 a.m.
1 30 p.m.	2 30 p.m.
4 30 p.m.	5 15 p.m.
6.15 p.m.	7.00 p.m.
11:15 p.m.	11:45 p.m.
SUNDAY	
9 30 a.m.	12:00 m.
1 00 p.m.	2 00 p.m.
3.00 p.m.	6:00 p.m.

JORDAN RIVER

Depot	Jordan River
4 00 p.m.	8:00 a.m.

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The Crooks' Game

By GEORGE DILNOT

CHAPTER XXX (Continued)

Moses' shifty eyes traveled appraisingly over his companion. It was plain that the passage in the story which he had constructed so plausibly on the spur of the moment had not deceived Strickland. That, however, was one thing. To prove that he had a definite part in either of the murders was another. In the absence of Sheldon Nares and Tom Jackson, there were none to deny the crimes he had foisted on them. The other parts of his narrative were true enough. That would tend to show the truth of his accounts of the murders.

He made a gesture with his manacled hands. "Why shouldn't I be talking straight? I'll admit if you like that I did talk to the girl. That doesn't make me a murderer. It was all over then. Give me a square deal, Mr. Strickland."

"You'll get a square deal all right," said the other. "Anything else you want to say?"

"Yes. I'll go the whole way. As you know, we got hold of Buck Shang that same night. I left him with Sheldon at Hammersmith, and decided to hold the fort on the boat for a while. The boat was up, and we didn't quite know what might happen, although we felt pretty safe. Maybe I celebrated a little, and I forgot to go back to Babylon Road as I had promised I would. Next I knew was when Nares woke me up to tell me that the plans had been raided. I'd own that he had me guessing. We had a powwow and decided to go on with the game. We couldn't afford to drop it. Just as a matter of caution we shifted the Black Arrow upstream to Teddington. You surely had us that time, if you hadn't been too cautious. We heard you coming upstream, and, when you stopped to investigate, we were on the alert. Then you slipped away to talk it over and we got a chance. You can bet that we wasted no time in moving out. We got to Teddington Lock, sent the boat back full tilt, and with it a letter that Sheldon thought might bluff you that we were making a panic-stricken dive for the woods."

"Yes. I had that. It gave me the very opposite impression."

"That so?" Well, I guess that meant it for the best. There we were in the fog in a place none of us knew anything about, and you and your men were liable to be scouting round at our heels any minute. We doped it out that you would be looking about all the railway stations and garages in the neighborhood, so we decided to hike it to some other spot. We followed some tramway lines for an hour and got to a place called Surbiton. There we took a train to Waterloo—"

"I had men waiting there for you," observed Strickland.

"We thought that might be so, but we calculated on the fop. No one interfered with us, and we got a cab to Pullage's place. Lucifer wasn't too keen on having us at first, but he came round when we explained how essential it was for us to be within reach of the Regal. He saw that he was committed anyhow.

"We had decided to get at Buck through his girl. That part of it came off all right. Where I made an error of judgment was in going for Buck direct afterwards instead of tiring the post or some go-between. He threatened me and chased me. Believe me, I thought it was all up when he had me in a cab bound for Scotland Yard. I tried a bluff and brought it off. I guess I had to hurt Buck and the cabman some. It was touch and go. I was in a tight corner.

"I got back to Soho. Pullage was in a blue funk. He insisted on us clearing out, as we resolved to finish up at Peckham. There we made a mistake with that woman of his. Never entered our minds that she'd weaken. In spite of everything, I believe we'd have pulled the thing off if it hadn't been for her." He cool disgustedly through the open window. "Women are hell. At the worst, Sheldon would have married the girl and we'd have been all hunky-dory. That would have settled Buck Shang and put us in funds. As it was, I guess you know the rest. We were running short of cash. Sheldon was losing his nerve and all that we could do was to cut for safety."

Again he turned his head away and surveyed the scenery through the window with abstracted gaze.

"We're getting near Hayward's Heath," said Strickland idly. "What was this fire at Tom Jackson's place at Wapping? Nares, you say, got away. What happened to Tom?"

Moses swung round with a jerk. "Blest if I know. I had no time to make inquiries."

CHAPTER XXXI

The journey back to town was uneventful. Strickland procured the assistance of a man from the local police, not because he felt particular need of help in escorting Moses, but because it was the thing to do. He had sent a message through to Scotland Yard announcing the apprehension. Moses, possibly because of the presence of the second officer, made no further reference to matters in connection with his arrest, but, curiously enough, he was quite willing to take part in general conversation, and became almost heated in his denunciation of the prohibition laws of the United States.

So he was ultimately brought to Cannon Row, where Winters, Menzies, and others from the Yard were gathered. In a short whispered conversation with the Chief Constable and the Superintendent, Strickland had explained what had happened.

"No use delaying anything," said Winter brusquely. "You'd better charge him straightaway."

"I imagined you would think that," agreed the inspector.

Menzies focussed his big horn-rimmed glasses. "Nasty-looking little squirt, Strickland," he commended, under his breath. "We've got something up our sleeves which you will hear about in a minute or two."

The formalities were quickly pushed through. Moses' jaw fell as, standing under guard in the bare charge room, he listened to the jargon in which he was accused as a principal in the murders of Solomon Stern and Reuben Job.

The handcuffs had been removed on his arrival at the police station, and he clutched at Strickland's arm. "That's all wrong," he cried, with more excitement than he had hitherto betrayed. "I told you I had nothing to do with the murders."

"I heard you," answered the other grimly.

"You are charged with murder," interposed the informed inspector at the desk. "I have already told you that anything you say will be written down and may be used in evidence." He tapped the foot of his pen on the charge sheet and waited a little.

The prisoner looked from one to the other of those gathered in the room as though seeking some inspiration. Then he made a little gesture of defiance.

"If you think that you are going to railroad me, you're mistaken," he declared, and turned to the constable at his side as if the proceedings were over.

"Half a moment," said Menzies quietly, and the constable put out a restraining hand.

The station inspector cleared his throat. "You will also be charged, upon the information of Detective-Superintendent Menzies, with the murders of two men named Thomas Jackson and Sheldon Nares."

Moses glared wildly around and clutched at his throat. A glass of water was handed to him, and he drank at a gulp. "I—I—" he stammered. "Then, regaining some measure of control, he flung out a fist toward Menzies. "That's more like!" he shouted vehemently. "You can't put that onto me. They killed each other. I couldn't stop 'em. What makes you think that I—"

"Pull yourself together," ordered Menzies sternly. "We know that you were in Jackson's hut with Nares. You were seen in the vicinity immediately after the fire broke out, and you forced a man at the point of a pistol to carry you across the river. When the bodies of two men both of whom had died by violence, were found in the ruins, we could draw conclusions."

The prisoner stared at him dumbly. "Take him away," said the inspector at the desk, and at a touch on his arm, Moses moved as one in a dase toward the cells.

(To be Continued)

DATES SET FOR ANNUAL CIRCUS

Y.M.C.A. Officials Conclude Arrangements for Coming Circus on April 25-26-27

Clowns, wild Indians, elephants, giraffes, music, marching, high bar artists, side shows, acrobats and strange creatures of lumbers, will be just a few of the attractions in store for the patrons of the annual Bingling Bros. Circus, under the auspices of the Y.M.C.A., to be held at their headquarters April 25, 26, 27.

According to Archie McKinnon, physical director, and Vivian Rhemmaker, boys' secretary, at the "Y," this year's affair is going over the top with a "bang." For the past month the youngsters performing in the various events have been training hard under the supervision of the "Y" officials.

From Thursday night, April 25, to Saturday night, April 27, the Y.M.C.A. gymnasium will present a real circus scene that the people who intend travelling there will not forget for many a day. Probably the side shows, made up of the latest woman in march, the wild man, giant cater-tie eater, half lady, and the tallest and smallest men on earth, will attract more interest than any other part of the circus.

The committees who are busily working diligently on the lengthy programme are as follows: Programme, Archie McKinnon and Vivian Shoemaker; side shows, L. Gale and E. Kidd; comedy, Benny McMillan, Harry Robson and L. Oliver; refreshments, H. "Y" Club; properties, H. Flowman, A. Stewart and N. Collins; publicity, D. Park; seating accommodation, E. Raynor.

Tickets can be obtained from any of the members of the Y.M.C.A. or at their headquarters.

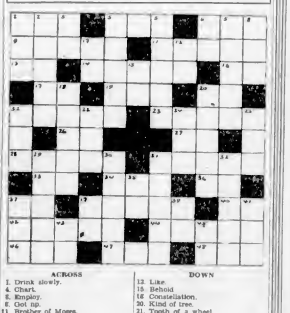
Change Made In Festival Programme

Owing to the delay caused by a wrong steamship connection in Seattle, Dr. Daniel Prudhome, Mus Bac., adjudicator of the Victoria Musical Festival for the senior vocal tests, did not arrive in Victoria until yesterday afternoon, so that competitions in classes 10, 14 and 27 had to be cancelled.

Arrangements have been made to hold these tests on Saturday morning, however. The rest of the programme will proceed as printed. The vocal duet test for intermediate girls under nineteen will be held at 8:30 a.m. Saturday, in the First Baptist Church. This test will be followed by the vocal solo for soprano under nineteen, and by vocal duet for adults.

Twenty-eight entries were affected by this unforeseen circumstance yesterday morning. It is the desire of the festival association that official notice of the change in arrangements be observed so that no competitors will be kept from the tests through misunderstanding.

The Daily Cross-Word Puzzle

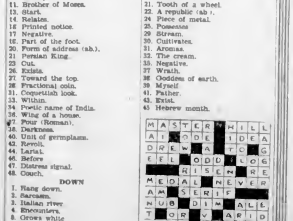


ACROSS

1. Drink slowly.
4. Chart.
6. Employ.
8. Get up.
11. Brother of Moses.
13. Start.
14. Relates.
16. Printed notice.
17. Negative.
18. Part of the foot.
20. Form of address (sh.).
21. Persian King.
23. Cut.
26. Exists.
27. Toward the top.
28. Fractional coin.
31. Coquettish look.
33. Within.
34. Poetic name of India.
36. Wing of a house.
37. Four (Roman).
38. Darkness.
40. Unit of germplasm.
42. Revolt.
44. Lariat.
46. Before
47. Distress signal.
48. Coach.

DOWN

1. Hang down.
2. Sarcasm.
3. Italian river.
4. Rhetoricians.
5. Grows white
6. Chaldean city.
7. Plan.
8. Finish.
15. Street (ab.).
13. Like
15. Behind
16. Constellation.
20. Kind of tree.
21. Tooth of a wheel.
22. A republic.
24. Piece of metal.
25. Possessive
29. Stream.
30. Cultivates.
31. Aromas.
32. The cream.
35. Negative.
37. Wrath.
38. Goddess of earth.
39. Myself.
41. Ha!
42. Exist.
43. Hebrew month.



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—Sweaters, 1st Floor

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Girls' Print Dresses

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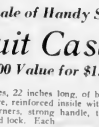
—Children's Wear, 1st Floor



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—Mantle Dept., 1st Floor

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—Millinery, 1st Floor

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Short Style Back-Laced Corsets of novelty cotton. Lightly boned and made with elastic top and four hose supporters. Each **$1.25**

—Corsets, 1st Floor

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Boys' Crepe-Sole Running Shoes in black or brown. Oxford style, a pair **$1.25**

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—Bayrain Highway, Lower Main Floor

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